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MORTON THE NOMINEE.

Chosen to Head New York's Republican State Ticket.

C. T. SAXTON HIS RUNNING MATE.

The Mention of J. Sloat Fassett as a Candidate for Governor Causes a Scene of Wildest Enthusiasm in the Convention. Judge Haight for Court of Appeals.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 19.—The state Republican convention, called to nominate a full state ticket, was rapped to order here yesterday at 12.14 p. m. Hon. Lemuel Ely Quigg, of New York city, was made temporary chairman. After the appointment of the usual committees the convention took a recess until 4.30, and on reassembling a permanent organization was effected, with Hon. Warner Miller as chairman.

The platform, which was read by Congressman Sereno E. Payne, chairman of the platform committee, stands by bimetallism. It condemns the attack on American industries in the tariff bill, and its purpose of fostering the south and sp[illegible] the commercial interests of the north. It condemns the broken Democratic promises of the state and points out the retrenchments the Republicans have brought about. In speaking particularly of the income tax it says that it is a rabid and un-American measure, violating personal rights and putting a blemish on our claim to lead the world in our liberal, free government. It says that the Democrats opposed what they called a "force bill," vilified it in every possible manner, and have now enacted a force bill of their own, authorizing federal officers to pry into people's private affairs. As to the work of the constitutional convention it indorses the movement to divorce national and state politics from municipal [illegible] so that a man may express his will in regard to city government without sacrifice of his [illegible] the political issues of the day. A [illegible] the American Protective association [illegible].

LEVI P. MORTON.

Chairman Miller then [illegible] nominations [illegible]—B. F. Tracy arose to [illegible] Mr. Morton. H[illegible] was frequently interrupted [illegible] a brilliant tribute to Mr. M[illegible] services.

[illegible] storm [illegible] several [illegible] on their feet [illegible] Col. Baxter [illegible] his way [illegible] platform. The Fassett men saw him [illegible] there was a [illegible]. Quiet was restored and Mr. Baxter began his speech [illegible] J. Sloat Fassett for governor. When the name of Fassett was reached there was the most remarkable scene of the session, reminding one forcibly of the scene in the Republican national convention at Minneapolis when Mr. Blaine received the applause and Harrison the vote. People stood on their feet and waved handkerchiefs, and for five minutes the vast audience yelled itself hoarse.

Silas B. Dutcher, of Kings county, nominated Stewart L. Woodford.

E. A. Nash, of Cattaraugus, named General Butterfield.

Ex-Congressman Parker, of St. Lawrence county, presented the name of Judge Leslie W. Russell.

Hon. A. A. Wray, of Kings, seconded the nomination of Mr. Woodford.

Cries for a vote followed, and the chairman ordered the roll to be called by counties. Before Ontario was reached Morton had been nominated, and when the vote was finished the clerks, amid the greatest [illegible], announced: Morton, 531½; Fassett, 69; Woodford, 50; Butterfield, 29; R[illegible]; Bliss, [illegible]; Arkell, 1. The nomination of Morton was immediately made unanimous, each of the opposing candidates making short speeches pledging [illegible] support.

A recess till [illegible] p. m. was taken.

[illegible] nominations for lieutenant governor were declared to be in order. [illegible] Anson Woods presented [illegible] Charles T. Saxton. George [illegible] Aldridge and James W. Wadsworth [illegible] placed before the convention [illegible] eulogistic speeches. Arthur W. [illegible] and George Green were named, and [illegible] ex-Senator Frank Hiscock, in a brief speech, presented the name of ex-Senator Frank Hendricks, of Syracuse, formerly collector of the port of New York.

Congressman James S. Herman, of Odessa, [illegible] Henry J. Coggeshall.

The [illegible] tried to effect [illegible] morning, but [illegible] to allow [illegible] the name of [illegible] W[illegible].

[illegible] Saxton. The house [illegible] platform [illegible] and said [illegible] be represented on the ticket to balance [illegible].

At 12:30 this morning [illegible] for lieutenant governor [illegible] Charles T. Saxton was nominated on the first ballot.

Judge Haight was nominated for Judge of Court of Appeals on the second ballot.

The convention adjourned sine die at 2 a. m.

Outlaw Talbot at Last Arrested.

WICHITA, Kan., Sept. 19.—Jim Talbot, a noted killer of the early days, went through here in custody on his way back from California to Sumner county, where thirteen years ago he killed Mike Meagher, then mayor of the city of Caldwell. A price was put on his head, but he escaped to Mexico, and there he has been all these years. His arrest was brought about through his identity being revealed by an old pal while he (Talbot) was under arrest at Ukeah under the name of Sherman.

WASHINGTON'S FATAL FIRE.

The List of Dead Victims Now Believed to Number Seven.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—From present indications, the fire which destroyed the Stumph Bros.' mattress factory and a number of adjoining buildings on Monday is second only in its fatal results to Washington's greatest disaster in recent years, the collapse of the Ford's theater building. It is now believed that seven people lost their lives, and the body of one of those is supposed to be in the ruins. Six bodies have been recovered, the last one being taken out last night.

The identified dead are: J. E. Vaugn, white, aged 36, married, clerk, died at the Emergency hospital from injuries received by jumping. W. P. Tennyson, white, aged about 25, widower, mattress maker; Willie Ashe, white, aged 15, Robert Reitzell, single, aged 21. The other bodies of men were recovered, but have not been identified.

The building inspector says he had ordered fire escapes put in, and this was "just going to be done." This disaster, following many others, is calling serious attention to the defects of building inspection in the national capital.

Pitched Battle with Gamblers.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—A pitched battle between Pinkerton men and the attaches of Harry Varnell's gambling house at Madison and Clark streets was fought yesterday afternoon during a raid on the place. Varnell's is one of the largest gambling houses in the city and was well filled when a score of detectives, headed by "Mat" Pinkerton, entered the place. The occupants of the house armed themselves with chairs and other weapons and charged the intruders. The officers resisted the attack, and for fifteen minutes the air was full of chairs, clubs and profanity. Many of the combatants were knocked down, but no one was dangerously hurt. The detectives finally conquered, making numerous arrests, and the Varnell people retaliated by causing the arrest of "Mat" Pinkerton. Varnell is ex-warden of the county poor house and has served a term in the penitentiary for "boodling."

Soldiers for Defense, Citizens for Liberty.

PARIS, Sept. [illegible].—President Casimir-Perier yesterday gave a breakfast to the higher officers who are taking part in the military [illegible] at Vanjours, and made a speech to his guests. He said: "By my presence here I wished to show that the [illegible] of the entire nation [illegible] interest and confidence [illegible] the leaders of the [illegible] France. [illegible] the republic [illegible] her future [illegible] and [illegible] soldiers for defense [illegible] liberty."

Serious Charges Against a Pastor.

S[illegible], Sept. [illegible].—Startling charges have been [illegible] against Rev. A. [illegible], pastor of the Hickory Street Presbyterian church [illegible] city by a prominent young lady [illegible]. The elders of the church have asked for his resignation, which will be presented at a general meeting of the congregation this evening. Some of the members of the parish decline to accept his resignation, while others demand it. The young lady who made the charge says she will reveal shocking facts if she is permitted to do so before the board of elders.

An Exciting Yacht Race.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The New York Yacht club's autumn sweepstakes regatta was sailed over the cape course outside of Sandy Hook in a spanking breeze and heavy sea. A finer contest than that between the Emerald and Ariel, which the former won by only fourteen seconds over a thirty triangular mile course, has seldom been seen. The finish was so close that the result was in doubt until the official returns showed that the Emerald had won by fourteen seconds. Ariel takes the second prize of $[illegible], and Queen Mab wins the prize for sloops, $[illegible].

Will Not Yield to the Pope.

ROME, Sept. [illegible].—The Tribuna publishes an inspired interview with an intimate friend of Prime Minister Crispi, in which the friend declares that Signor Crispi has always believed in a supreme being, and says that at Naples the premier invoked the deity as the symbol of morality and justice against the ideal of destruction and crime embodied in anarchism. It is added that Signor Crispi will never bend to the Vatican, and that he is convinced that an agreement between Italy and the pope is impossible.

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A BIG STEAL ALLEGED

Arrest of an Ex-Philadelphia Banker After Seven Years.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Charles F. Phillips, banker, of 40 Wall street, was arrested yesterday on a warrant from Philadelphia charging him with embezzlement and appropriation to his own use of $100,000 of deposits. The offense is alleged to have been committed in Philadelphia seven years ago, when Phillips was president of the Columbia Savings bank there. No effort has been made to bring him to account until yesterday. He was taken to Philadelphia.

It was said that an examination of the bank's affairs after the failure disclosed the fact that a large amount of money had been misappropriated and that President Phillips had disappeared soon afterwards. It was learned that he had gone to Europe and nothing was ever done in the matter until recently, when it was discovered that Mr. Phillips was doing business in this city, and the proceedings against him were revived.

When a reporter called at Mr. Phillips' office W. C. Boone, one of his business associates, stated that the arrest was an outrage, and that the charge was a trumped up one.

"Mr. Phillips," he said, "was as much surprised as any of us when the warrant was served on him, for he is perfectly innocent of the charge. The story that he is a fugitive from justice is absurd. Why, he remained in Philadelphia for several months after the bank failed in 1887, and nothing was ever breathed against him. Then he went to Paris, and was in business there for two years, after which he returned to this country, and has been in business here for the last three years."

Fighting Against Expulsion.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 19.—Messrs. Sovereign, Hayes, McGuire, Martin and French, constituting the general executive board of the Knights of Labor, and Henry C. Traphagen and William O. Begley filed an answer to the suit recently brought against them by John O'Keefe, Alexander H. P. Leuf and Patrick Donoghue, members of Local Assembly 6,401. The court was asked to enjoin the issuance of credentials to Traphagen as representative to District Assembly No. 1, and to order the defendants to reinstate the three complainants as members of the order, from which, it was alleged, they were illegally expelled. It is contended that the general executive board had a right to expel the complainants for insubordination and general bad conduct, and the court is asked to dismiss the suit.

Ex-Judge Kirkpatrick for Congress.

MAUCH CHUNK, Pa., Sept. 19.—The Republican conferees for the Eighth congressional district met here yesterday afternoon and nominated ex-Judge W. S. Kirkpatrick by acclamation. His only opponent was Charles Marvin, of Pike county, whose name was withdrawn. The district is composed of Northampton, Monroe, Pike and Carbon counties. The nominee is [illegible] years old, a native of Easton, and is a leading member of the bar of Northampton county. He was appointed judge by Governor [illegible] in 1874, and served nine months, being succeeded by Judge Myers. He was attorney general of Pennsylvania under Governor Beaver.

Mark Twain's Creditors.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The schedules of Charles L. Webster & Co., publishers, of which Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain) is a partner, were filed yesterday. The [illegible] liabilities [illegible] nominal assets, $[illegible]; actual assets, $[illegible]. [illegible] is [illegible] to the United States National bank, leaving net actual assets, $34,[illegible]. There are more than two hundred creditors scattered all over the United States. There is due for royalties to the estate of U. S. Grant, $2,218; Colonel F. D. Grant, $[illegible]; estate of General P. H. Sheridan, $[illegible]; Mrs. E. B. Custer, $1,[illegible].

Another Miners' Strike Predicted.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Sept. 19.—Representatives of the United Mine Workers of America are hard at work organizing assemblies throughout the anthracite region, and claim that they will have it fully organized within three months. John L. R[illegible], president of this district, informed an Associated Press reporter that the anthracite workers will be ordered out during the next soft coal strike and he predicted that this strike will occur within the next three months.

Pennsylvania Firemen's Association.

NORTH[illegible], Pa., Sept. 19.—Nothing of importance was done at yesterday's session of the State Firemen's association. It rained all day and not more than two-thirds of the delegates arrived. There are two candidates for president, George W. B[illegible] and Gilbert W. [illegible], with the chances [illegible]. The next meeting [illegible] will probably be held [illegible].

From a Methodist Minister.

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TRAIN ROBBERS FOILED

Attacked a Train Carrying an Armed Force.

ONE OF THE GANG FATALLY SHOT.

Betrayed by a Supposed Confederate, the Robbers Fall Into the Clutches of Officers of the Law—The Engineer Shot, but Not Seriously Hurt.

GORIN, Mo., Sept. 19.—The Colorado and Utah express train on the Santa Fe road was held up by robbers. The railroad and express officials had a warning of the plan to attack the train and they were met by a volley of buckshot and bullets.

The raid was planned three weeks ago. When the train left Chicago at 5 o'clock Monday evening several railroad and express detectives, all armed, were taken on board. Chief Detective J. J. Kinney, of the Santa Fe, with G. C. Montgomery, his assistant, boarded the train at Joliet. At Streator they were joined by two more men, who have been patroling the line for twenty days. J. A. Matthews, who has been acting as a detective for the last two weeks, was taken on at Galesburg. He brought news that the robbers met early in the day and decided to leave their hiding place near Memphis to be ready for the Colorado and Utah express. They expected to make a haul of at least $50,000, the Monday run being always much heavier than any other day of the week.

The shooting, which was the first intimation the passengers on the train had of the expected attack by the robbers, caused a panic in the chair and sleeping cars. The cry "Train robbers" went through the train, and when the excitement was at its height the brakeman put his head in the door and shouted, "Keep your heads down, ladies and gentlemen. Train robbers are outside." Many of the passengers sought safety lying flat on the floor of the cars.

T. S. Servey, of Emporia, one of the directors of the Santa Fe, was on one of the sleepers of the train. He was returning from New York city, where he attended the meeting of the board of directors.

"I had no intimation whatever," said he to an Associated Press representative, "that there was to be an attempt made to hold up the train. I was asleep and was awakened by the torpedoes the robbers had put on the track as a signal for the engineer to stop the train. Then came about twenty-five shots in rapid succession toward the front end of the train. Two of the detectives were on the tender, ready to receive the robbers. They had a good position, but so far as we know none of the robbers were killed. The conductor got the Winchester and a sack which one of the men threw away. I see no reason why, with seven or eight men ready and waiting for the robbers, well armed and equipped, they were allowed to escape. It is very strange."

MEMPHIS, Mo., Sept. 19.—W. E. McDonald, the man who had advised the officers of the proposed time and place of the Santa Fe train robbery, went on Monday night with C. E. Abrams and Link Overfield and two others to Gorin. Sheriff H. H. [illegible] and City Marshal Bryne went to a town east of Gorin and joined Detective J. J. Kinney and two assistants of the Santa Fe, C. W. Stockton, detective of the Wells-Fargo Express, and two assistants, and [illegible] passage on train No. 5. As they neared Gorin the engineer noticed [illegible] had been removed. He heard a torpedo explode and saw a signal flag being waved. He answered the signal and stopped the train.

Abrams, the leader of the gang, ran to the engineer and called out: "We've got you, hold up your hands." The engineer was a little slow in responding, and Abrams shot him. Detective Kinney, who was concealed on the tender, raised up and shot Abrams in the shoulder with a double barreled shotgun, loaded with buckshot. Abrams started for the brush and the other robbers for their horses. Abrams' horse was killed by one of Kinney's assistants. The robbers fled when the officers appeared. The officers scoured the brush, but did not find the robbers.

The officers came to Memphis about 4 o'clock a. m., got out warrants and went three miles northeast of this city and located Abrams and Overfield, brought them to town, and they are now in jail. Abrams will die. Two others are supposed to have been implicated in the hold up and the officers are after them, but refuse to give their names. All the robbers are residents of this county.

Rear Brakeman J. P. Mooney says he is confident there were seven robbers in the gang. Just after the train was stopped he was sent back to protect the rear end of the train by setting out a light. About fifty yards from the rear end of the train a road crossed the track. On this road were two men holding five horses. Later, he discovered, after one horse had been killed and another that had been tied in the timber ran away, he still saw the original five. One of the men who tied the horses immediately thereafter took after the brakeman. He caught him and holding a pistol to his nose, demanded his money. Mooney gave up all he had [illegible] and then the robber [illegible] back to the train.

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JAPAN'S GREAT VICTORY

Later Reports Greatly Increase the Loss to China's Army.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—A private telegram received at the Japanese legation here gives the losses of the Japanese at the battle of Ping Yang as being eleven officers wounded and 260 soldiers killed.

Every hour adds to the crushing character of the Chinese defeat. The first estimates were under the actual facts, and the total of the Chinese losses during the two days' battle is now said to be over 17,000 men killed, wounded and prisoners. The Japanese cavalry is continuing the pursuit of the Chinese who succeeded in escaping, and detachments of troopers continue bringing in squads of captured Chinese.

Those of the Chinese prisoners who were not wounded were paraded in a circle of Japanese troops, and it was seen that they numbered 14,500. It is probable, however, that this number will be increased during the next few days.

Besides General Tso Fonk Wai, commander-in-chief of the Chinese army, who fought desperately to the last and surrendered only when he was badly wounded, the Japanese captured four other important commanders of the Chinese forces, namely: General Tso Paok Woi, General Wei Ink Woi, General Nayu Kow Eng and General Sei Kin Lin, practically all the effective Chinese staff.

A naval engagement has taken place off Yalu, where a Chinese squadron was covering the landing of a large force. The landing was effected with success, but in the meantime a Japanese fleet attacked the vessels. In the fight which followed the Chinese warship Chin Yuen was sunk by the fire from the attacking fleet. One other Chinese ship is reported to have been sunk. The Japanese are also reported to have sustained a heavy loss, three of their vessels having been sunk by the fire from the Chinese. Admiral Ting and Major Hannekin are reported to have been killed during the action.

A dispatch from Shanghai says that an imperial edict has been issued depriving Viceroy Li Hung Chang of his three eyed peacock feather, because of his mismanagement of the Corean campaign.

The Opposition to Tillman.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 19.—The anti-Tillman convention adjourned yesterday without making any nominations, the vote being 120 against and 104 in favor of nominating. Resolutions were passed demanding of the state convention the adoption of the Chicago platform and a declaration of loyal allegiance to the Democratic party, the repudiation of the action of the state convention of 1892, which adopted the Ocala platform as the principles of the Democratic party of the state, and that no nominations be made of persons not in full accord with the Democracy or who acknowledge allegiance to the Populists. An executive committee was appointed to call the anti-Tillman convention again should the state convention fail to carry out its demands. The state convention meets this afternoon. John Gary Evans will be its nominee for governor.

The Delaware River Bridge.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The war department yesterday returned to Chief Engineer Brown, of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, for amendment, the plans submitted by that company in accordance with an act of congress for a bridge over the Delaware river, connecting Philadelphia and Camden, N. J. The amendments desired are [illegible] extensive and relate principally to the location of the great [illegible] span. It is expected that the necessary changes in plans will speedily be made and that within a year this great project will be under construction.

A Victim of Hypnotism.

VIENNA, Sept. 19.—At Tuskir Castle, near Nyireghyhaza, Hungary, a dinner was given by its proprietor, Theodore Von Salomon. In order to entertain the guests a hypnotist named Neukor was called upon to make some experiments. Neukor selected as his medium Ella Von Salomon, the daughter of his host. The hypnotist, during the experiments, intimated that the young lady was suffering from consumption, when she fell to the floor and expired.

An Assassin's Bad Marksmanship.

RUTLAND, Vt., Sept. 19.—David O. Hearn, a well known citizen, about noon went to the office of Hon. G. Lawrence, a representative in the legislature and [illegible] drawing a revolver, opened fire on him. The bullet passed through the coat of Lawrence's [illegible] but did not injure him. Hearn had sworn to kill Lawrence within twenty-four hours. He is under arrest. The cause of the shooting is unknown.

A Point for Captain Stephenson.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Ex-Police Captain John L. Stephenson, who was dismissed from the police force by the commissioners upon charges of [illegible] from [illegible] merchants [illegible] privileges, has, through his counsel, John Vincent, procured from Justice [illegible] a writ of certiorari for the purpose of reviewing the action of the commissioners.

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OWENS' VICTORY SURE

Breckinridge's Contest Will be Fruitless of Result.

HIS FRIENDS ADMIT HIS DEFEAT.

Though the Kentucky Orator Will Enter a Protest to the District Committee, There Is No Doubt That His Effort Will be Ignored.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 19.—There is absolutely no doubt that W. C. Owens has secured the nomination as Democratic candidate for congress from the Ashland district. The official count of the various county committees shows a plurality for Owens of 270 over Breckinridge. While Breckinridge seems determined to have a contest before the district committee at Frankford next Saturday, there is no doubt that the committee will refuse to throw the nomination to Breckinridge, as such action will, in the opinion of conservative Democrats, completely disrupt the Democratic party in this district.

W. C. OWENS.

Several strong Breckinridge men were interviewed and all expressed themselves as opposed to any contest. They say that Breckinridge is undoubtedly beaten, and believe that it would be bad policy to stand against the will of the people.

A number of bets against Owens were paid yesterday. The wide interest in the election was shown by a telegram from Lakota, asking: "Can Breckinridge win?" The answer was sent: "He cannot win, Pauline, he cannot win."

The Fight Against Brice.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 19.—The Democratic state convention assembled in this city today at 10 o'clock. The chief feature was the arrival of Senator Brice, against whom an effort has been made by some of the delegations to work up a sentiment on account of his attitude in the late tariff fight in congress. The anti-Brice men claim four out of the twenty-one members of the committee on resolutions, the originator of which is Congressman Tom Johnson. The Brice men claim the entire twenty members.

Odd Fellows Elect Officers.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Sept. 19.—The business session of the sovereign grand lodge of Odd Fellows reassembled at Lookout Mountain [illegible]. Atlantic City, N. J., was chosen for the next meeting place. Deputy Grand Sire John W. Stebbins, of Maryland, was unanimously elected grand sire; deputy grand sire, Hon. Fred Carleton, of Texas. Theodore Ross, of New Jersey, was unanimously re-elected grand secretary, and Isaac Sheppard, of Pennsylvania, was unanimously elected grand treasurer.

Murphy in Excellent Condition.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 19.—Johnny Murphy, who is to fight Billy Plimmer at New Orleans Monday night, will leave in a special car tomorrow, accompanied by James Conway, his trainer; Jake Karam, his second, and a number of Baltimore and Washington sports. The car will be equipped with a punching bag, dumbbells, Indian clubs, etc. Murphy is said to be in the pink of condition.

To Increase Tin Plate Manufacture.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—The Daily News says that one of the wealthiest of American iron and steel masters, who is now in England, announces that he and several of his friends are so satisfied with the prospects of tin plate making in the United States that they are forming a [illegible] company to commence the manufacture of tin plate on a scale that will [illegible] the American [illegible].

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Our third barrel of those fine large new mackerel in 5 weeks, 9c per lb., 10 lbs. or more at 8c. per lb. Best Mandheling Java Coffee 3c., best Maracaibo 32c., Parlor City patent flour $4 per barrel, 50c. for 1-8 bbl; 30 lb. packages best Butter at 23c. per lb. by the package and 27c. at retail; Vegetables and Fruits fresh every morning at

W. H. FOSTER'S,

NO. 30 WEST MAIN STREET.

Granulated Sugar $5.10 Per 100 Pounds.

2,000 POUNDS OF GREEN AND BLACK TEA!

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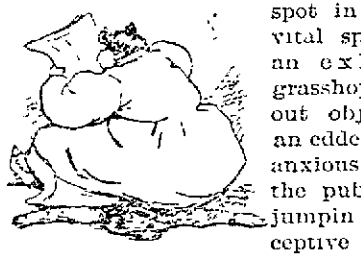
LIFE IS BUT A SPAN.

JUMPIN JOE MEETS A STRANGER WHO REASONS THAT WAY.

And the Jumping Frog Is Brought Out and Made to Do His Act—But Joe Did Not Count on the Stranger's Gun—How Virtue, Etc., Is Rewarded.

I was movin along over the kentry with my blithesome combinashun of to wit—namely, a Magic cement which has no ekal in respectable households, a Cherokee sassyparilly warranted to tech the vital spot in case any vital spot is left, an exhibishun grasshopper without objeckshuns, an eddecated hog anxious to amoose the public and a jumpin frog of deceptive architecture and weary expression, when I meets up with a critter who smiles in a castorollish way as he stops his mule to say:



THE FAT WOMAN SAT ON HIM.

"Pilgrim, might ye realize that life in this cold world is but a span?"

"I might," sez I, "but thar's a heap of cumfort to be got out of it in case ye hold four aces."

"I fear," says he as a shadder of sorrer settled on his brow, "I fear that the childlike innercense of yer face belies yer character."

"Mebbe ye ar' no humble worm yerself, stranger?"

"Mebbe not," he sighs, "but I'm strivin to be. Man ar' but a weak and feeble critter at best, and should he fall by the wayside let him be forgiven and encouraiged to persevere in the path of goodness. Dost luv thy feller man?"

"I dost, except whar he gits the drop on me and invites me to take a walk."

"I had a brother once," he sez as his sadness deepened, and he heaved a sigh which riz him in the saddle.

"And was he connected with a circus?"

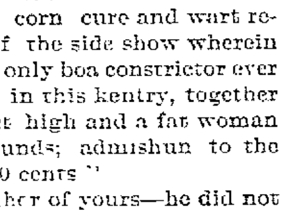
"He was. He was the childlike individual who sold corn cure and wart remover in front of the side show wherein was exhibited the only boa constrictor ever successfully born in this kentry, together with a giant 8 feet high and a fat woman weighing 500 pounds; admishun to the hull show, only 10 cents."

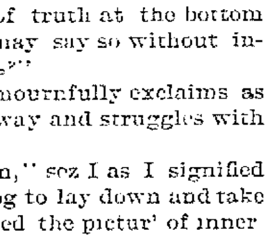
"And that brother of yours—he did not look for the jewel of truth at the bottom of the well, if I may say so without injoory to yer feelin's?"

"Alas, no!" he mournfully exclaims as he turns his face away and struggles with his emoshuns.

"I remember him," sez I as I signified to my eddecated hog to lay down and take a rest. "He looked the pictur' of innercense; but, alas, he was a deceiver of the confiding public! Did he die the death of the wicked?"

"He did, pilgrim, he did, and tharfore this emoshun. How I wrassled with that brother no one will ever know, but he was sot. I wanted him to becum meek and humble and sell county rights fur a washin masheen, but he persisted in his boundin career of wickedness and died as the good never die."





"HE RIZ UP AND FLEW."

"I remember to have read of it," sez I after waitin fur him to wipe his weepin eyes and take a chaw of terbacker. "If I hain't out of my reckoleckshun, the fat woman sot down on him while he slept and dreamed?"

"That was the way of it, pilgrim, and the coroner's jury returned a verdict of justifiable sottin."

"And was this wicked brother's death a great moral example to the survivin members of yer fam'ly?"

"It was. Thar was only me to survive him, and I deal not in corn cures and wart removers, and when I lie down to softly sleep and sweetly dream I take the top berth and can't be sot on. Ye hain't calkerlatin to reach the land whar sorrer never cums by travelin threw Cherokee, ar' ye?"

"Not on this trip and with this gigantic aggregashun of animal intelligence and medical compounds. Life ar' short, and I'm a passin over my Magic cement, Cherokee sassyparilly, exhibishun grasshopper and eddecated hog to p'int out the fact that I'm a jumpin man, with the jumpinest frog every introduced to the appreciatin and discriminatin populashun of this yere territory."

"Has yer frog got any speshual line of bizness?" he asks as he looks into the box wherein the deceivin reptile was humpin his back and blinkin his eyes.

"Jist a small side line," sez I in reply. "Jist sunthin to amoose the children and make the grown folks forgit their sorrers fur the time bein. However, I wouldst not entice thee."

"As to how?"

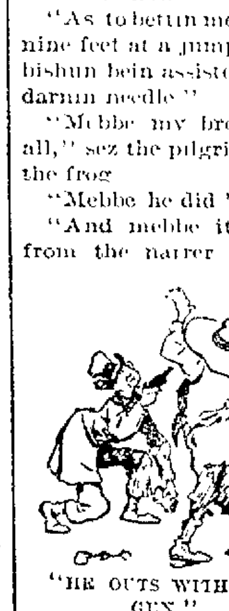
"As to bettin me $10 that he can't cl'ar nine feet at a jump without his soarin ambishun bein assisted by a carpet tack or a darnin needle."

"Mebbe my brother died happy, arter all," sez the pilgrim after another look at the frog.

"Mebbe he did."

"And mebbe it wouldn't be departin from the narrer path if I should double the bet and win yer money, being as most of it will go fur the advancement of the heathen?"

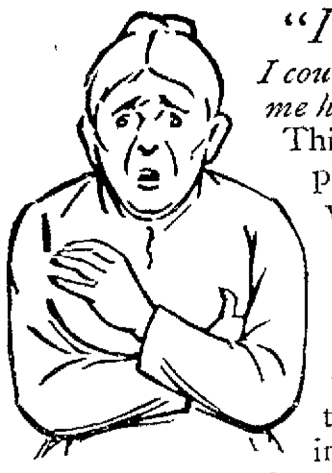
I let him wrassle it out with hisself, and when he had showed the color of his money we measured off the distance and sot the frog down. When I gin him the word and a poke, he riz up and flew, and the wager was mine, with two inches to spare.



"HE OUTS WITH HIS GUN."

I turns to console the stranger in my blandest manner and feelin perfectly willin to let him hev another try without cost when he outs with his gun, holds me up fur the stakes and rides away in a cloud of dust. I jogs along on his trail, feelin the ongratefulness of human natur,' and overtook him in the town of Happy Day. I was, alas, too late! The enterprisin populace of that town felt like hangin sumbody that day, and as my pilgrim friend had busted the only faro bank in town and tharby threatened the community with a finanshul panic they took him out and removed him and divided up his wealth and war livin lives of varchew and happiness when my gigantic aggregashun paraded into town in s'arch of jestice and revenge. And thus be varchew, integrity and strict attenshun to bizness, combined with a sassyparilly warranted to arouse the enthoosiasm of the vital parts if taken accordin to direckshuns, encouralged and rewarded in this benighted land of ours.

AUSTIN KEENE.



"It made me Hands thot Sor' I couldn't slape; an' if it was thot harrd on me hands, how harrd it must be on the durrt!"

This is the way a good old Irish woman praises some washing-powder or other which she prefers to Pearline. As it was proven she had never tried Pearline, the compliment would appear to be in favor of Pearline.

Whoever heard of any one claiming that Pearline hurt the hands? But there's the trouble—Pearline is the original washing compound; its popularity has drawn out thousands of imitations—so popular that to many it indicates any powdered washing material. If you are using Pearline, you are satisfied; if you are dissatisfied, try Pearline. If you are using something with which you are satisfied and it is not Pearline, try Pearline—you will wonder you were satisfied before. Pearline is economical and absolutely harmless. Every grocer sells it. 415 JAMES PYLE, N. Y.

"America's Greatest Men and Women."

AMERICA'S GREATEST MEN AND WOMEN.

MR. WILSON TALKS.

MY Name is Wilson; I do an insurance business on LaSalle street, in Chicago Ill., and I live in Evanston, Ill. Evanston is what was originally a scattering population on a pretty point on Lake Michigan, esteemed years ago far from the city of Chicago, but now one of the varied towns which may go within it by vote of the population.

I am married and have a wife and one child. That child is a boy (I suppose I should feel the same solicitude if it was a girl), and I have a father's natural fancies as to what must be the best thing to give that child the right kind of intelligence, and so divert his course that he may succeed in life. I have studied a great deal upon the subject. My own experience would not be of great value, because I have succeeded only to the limit of the average man and am barely established; still, I own the house and lot upon which I live, and am feeling perfectly safe in meeting the exigencies of the year. I want the boy to take a broader view than I did, to be a bigger man in the world. I have studied how to teach him to do that, and he has done pretty well, as far as the preliminaries go. Now, I have thought over what I should say to him and have sometimes been puzzled. I could not very well tell him what to do. I wanted to tell him what I needed but what I did not learn myself when I was of his age, and what my father did not know how to tell me, or else was not thoughtful enough to do so. I wanted to tell him how to follow the example of those who have succeeded at the present time and under the circumstances which ordinarily affect a young man struggling in this Republic established on this comparatively new world to-day. I wanted to tell him just what he had better do to get along well, and to point out to him what had been done by the people who were successful at the present time.

Of course, the record of the people of any time past would not be of so much value, because circumstances must necessarily have been different when they were alive. I feel confident, though, that if I could learn, some way and somehow, what the people who are so successful to day have done and how they did it, I could give to my boy such advice as would make his own life at least as far removed from failure as justified by the natural ability he may possess.

I looked around for some authority which I might consult in order to give him the facts most essential with this idea of mine in mind, but I could find none until I discovered that a great publishing firm in Chicago had decided to bring out a book giving the photographs of all the people who are prominent in America to-day. Here was what I wanted. The book, as I have learned, is going to be published in 16 parts, 16 pages to each, with a recent photograph on each page of some active leading American man or woman of to-day, while underneath appears the story of that same person's life—the story telling what that person did, and how the ends attained were eventually accomplished. Here was what I wanted; here was what I needed in various ways; here was what I was certainly seeking in order to obtain the information with which to educate my boy ank secure for him that knowledge which will give him a source of thought and make him prominent in the world.

I have the first sheets of this work. It is a graphic story of America's Greatest Men and Women, told in each instance on a single page underneath a photograph of recent date, which conveys to the eye an idea of what that person is. To me the photograph tells even more than the suggestive record beneath; and yet it is odd how in each instance the correct story corresponds with the expression upon the face which is reproduced in the portrait above. I do not know how the series will end. I know very little about this new feature of the newspaper people; I know nothing about the publishers and their expectations, but I do know this: that if the series so begun should be continued to its practical, ordinary good sense end—and I don't care whether that will include 200 or 700 of America's Greatest Men and Women, which is the title of the book—I do know this, that for the ordinary, active and alert business man—I will certainly say far more for the student or the literary man, or the politician or the statesman—for all these I will say it will be simply the most valuable and the most remarkable book produced in modern history. The wonder is that some one has not thought of it before. Yet no one seems to have done so since the days of Plutarch. Plutarch knew something. That shrewd old fellow knew that all who would get out of the drift, all who would accomplish great things, wanted to know every detail of the lives of those who had better luck or more courage or a broader brain than their fellows; but I am no authority on these points. I only know that there is produced a second Plutarch's Lives, that its biographies are shrewd, graphic and curt, and written without bias and without prejudice. I only know that there was a Plutarch—God bless the old fellow—and that there is this modern work.

This is the work I am going to give to my boy. I am going to make him read it thoroughly. The work is announced as consisting of 16 Parts, with 16 pages and 16 photographs in each part, and when bound, the whole series will make a great volume of 256 pages, the like of which has never been equaled. It is the story of the personal character of the men and women who are making the nation's history at this particular time. What a work this is! Do you imagine that I would miss it for my boy, or, incidentally, for myself?

HERE ARE the TERMS.

IN EVERY ISSUE OF THE ARGUS AND MERCURY will appear a numbered coupon. Cut this coupon out and bring or forward it, together with TEN CENTS, to the Coupon Department of the ARGUS and MERCURY and there will be delivered or mailed to you one number of the series as above. The remaining parts can be obtained as issued, one each week, by the readers of the ARGUS and MERCURY under the same conditions.

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Money left with the First National Bank of Middletown, on certificates of deposit for three (3) months, will draw interest at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum.

By order Board of Directors.

SEYMOUR DEWITT, Cashier

Explaining It.

In a certain town in Nevada there was at one time a justice of the peace, who had been born in the Emerald Isle, and whose blunders occasioned many a smile to the better educated members of the community.

A subpœna had been issued from his court to another Irishman to attend as witness in a case where James Smith was the plaintiff and Isaac Williams et al. were the defendants.

Michael Fennessey, the desired witness, appeared in court before the trial commenced, and during an informal preliminary conversation he asked bluntly, "Judge, who in the wurld is 'et al?' That's fwhat Oi'm wantin t'be towld."

"Well, well, Moichael," exclaimed his honor in utter amazement, "Oi must say Oi'm a bit surprised that an Amirican citizen an a man av orthinary intilligince should not know the manin of et al! But for the binifit av the witness an any other gintlemin prisint that moight be ignorant as well as Moichael Fennessy, Oi will explain. It is dirivated from two Latin wurrds conthracted, an manes in its lith-eral an Amirican sense, 'at all, at all!'"—Green Bag.

Clear as Mud.

Billy Pastor was trying to explain to a friend the process of manufacturing artificial ice.

"Don't you understand the philosophy of it?" queried Billy.

"No, I don't. I never saw it done."

"Well, you see," continued Billy, "they have a kind of a tank."

"Yes."

"And they fill that tank about two-thirds full of water."

"Yes. What then?"

"Why, then they freeze it."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Crime and Its Punishment.

"Died," wrote the editor of the Spiketown Blizzard as a sudden inspiration came over him, "in our sanctum, between the hours of 7 a. m. and 3 p. m. last Tuesday, of sticky fly paper, 1,227 flies. Their death has caused a gloom over the whole community."

The next day 13 of the most reputable citizens of Spiketown went to The Blizzard office and ordered their papers stopped.—Chicago Record.

An Exciting Prospect.

"I suppose you are looking forward to school with a great deal of interest," said Robbie's uncle.

"Yes," was the reply. "It is going to be a great deal more interesting than it was last year."

"What makes you think so?"

"The first thing the new teacher did when the term was out was to join a gymnasium."—Detroit Free Press.

Instinct.

"I wonder," said Mrs. Wollup, sitting in the stern sheets, "why that boy will persist in climbing away out there on the bowsprit. Why doesn't he come here and sit beside me?"

"That is just it," replied Mr. W., winking at the man at the wheel. "He wants to get away as far as possible from the spanker."—Boston Transcript.

She Would Do.

"I have got a new cook," said Mr. Subbubs, "but she acknowledges that she only knows how to cook ham and eggs and make a cup of coffee."

"Oh, that doesn't matter," answered the wife. "She will be gone before it is time to cook dinner anyway.—Indianapolis Journal.

Not a Pleasant Prospect.

Wife—I don't believe in women voting—at least I should never want to be a leader in politics.

Husband—And why, my dear?

Wife—Ugh! I should so hate to go to the penitentiary.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Lightning Strikes In the Right Place.

"What have you got in folding beds?" asked the customer, addressing the furniture salesman.

"Got one of our clerks in one, and they are just trying to get him out."—New York Press.

In Chicago.

"Will you be my wife?" he asked over the wire of the angelic voiced telephone girl.

"What number, please?" was her chilling reply.—New York World.

Not Toylike.

Wheelman (sententiously)—The bicycle is no longer a toy.

Ordinary Citizen (earnestly)—No siree, it isn't. I've been run into by one myself.—New York Weekly.

And They Went.

First Mosquito—Joyful news, old man.

Second Mosquito—What's that?

First Mosquito—Twins have been born in the next house.—New York World.

More Than Enough.

Mrs. Smith (looking at flat)—But I don't see any closets.

Mr. Smith—Why, my dear, every room's a closet.—Brooklyn Life.

Anxious to Know.

Tommy—Pa, what's ma crying for?

Father—She can't find her teeth.

"Is that the reason the baby cries so much?"—Life.

What Was Refused.

Mabel (as he comes back unsuccessful)—And has papa refused you?

George (sadly)—No, he has refused you.—Truth.

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LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES

For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

14—Wickham ave., Cor. Prince. O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North street and Wisner Ave., type shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—State Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
34—Fulton and Mill streets hat shops.
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy and Houston avenues.
43—E. Main street and Railroad avenue.
45—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenue.
57—Franklin Square.

MIDDLETOWN TIME CARD.

The following is the time of departure of passenger trains from Middletown stations beginning June 17th, '94, and continuing until further notice:

N. Y., L. E. & W. RAILROAD.

EAST BOUND.

NO.		JAMES ST.	MAIN ST
‡12,	Chicago Express	4:30 a. m.	
‡10,	Buffalo Express	6:01 "	
26,	Middletown Way, T.	6:34 "	6:35 a. m
16,	Orange Co., G. M.	7:10 "	7:12 "
23,	Mountain Express	8:23 "	8:25 "
32,	Del Valley Ex., G. M. P.	10:31 "	
‡ 6,	Way Mail G (ex. Sunday)	12:59 p. m	
‡ 2,	Chicago Express	2:53 "	
30,	Way, M P. G. T.	4:43 "	4:45 p. m
‡ 8,	Chicago Limited	7.12 "	
‡18,	Milk	7:53	
‡14,	Wells-Fargo Express		
606,	Pt Jervis Local (Sun only)	8:23 a. m	8:25 a. m
520,	Port Jervis Local	5.15 p m.	
‡123,	M. & C. Branch, arrive		8 12 a. m
‡130,	M. & C. Branch, arrive		5:55 p. m

WEST BOUND.

NO.		JAMES ST.	MAIN ST
‡17,	Milk	7:47 a. m	
21,	Port Jervis Way	10:30 "	10:35 a m
‡ 1,	Day Express	11:25 "	
11,	Port Jervis Local	1:04 p. m	1:01 p. m
33,	Port Jervis Local	3:40 "	3:37 "
‡15,	Chicago Limited	5:02 "	
27,	Mountain Express	5:40 "	5:36 "
15,	Orange County	6 50 "	6:40 "
25,	Middletown Way, arrives	8:00 "	7:58 "
‡ 7,	C & G. T. Express	8:37 "	
29,	Emigrant	9:40	
‡ 3,	Chicago Express	11:12 "	
601,	Pt. Jervis Way (Sun. only)	10:43 a. m	10:40 a. m
625,	" " "	3:19 p. m	3:16 p. m
617,	" " "	9:42 "	
‡101,	M. & C. Branch train	11:33 a. m	11:40 a. m
5115,	" " "		6:55 p. m

Trains marked with a ‡ run daily. Trains Nos. 601, 606, 617, 620 and 625 runs Sunday only. All other trains daily except Sunday. †Train No. 5 will only stop for passengers for Binghamton or west thereof, due notification must be given at the ticket office. Trains with the following letters affixed, indicate connections, viz: "G." with Newburgh Branch via Greycourt; "T." with Newburgh Short Cut Branch, via Turners; "M." with Montgomery Branch; "P." with Pine Island Branch.

Passenger trains for Middletown leave foot of Chambers street, New York, at ‡4:15, ‡7:45, 9:15, 10:30 a. m.; 1:00, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, ‡6:30, 7:00, 8:45 p. m. Sundays only 12:30 p. m.

N. Y., O. & W. RAILROAD.

LEAVE WICKHAM AVENUE.

NORTH BOUND.

Milk	7:42 a. m
Day Express	10:55 "
Sullivan County Express	6.15 p. m
Pacific Express	10:50 "

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 8	7.35 a. m
Atlantic Express	8:12 "
Day Express	4:30 p. m
No. 12	6:45 "

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Where the Casino Chart Can be Found.

The chart for the advance sale of tickets for the Casino Theatre will hereafter be found at H. S. Dusenberry & Son's jewelry store, 4 North street.

Alleged Absconder Arrested.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—Percival Heale, a Canadian customs officer, who is charged with absconding with $6,000 belonging to the Dominion customs department, was arrested on the Strand yesterday. He had on his person £221 of English gold and notes, and in his room at the Arundel hotel were found $131 of English money and $1,400 in Canadian notes. He was remanded.

Singular Death of a Miner.

ASHLAND, Pa., Sept. 19.—Henry Hoffman, aged 37, met with a strange and fatal accident at Tunnel Bridge mine while barring coal loose in a breast. A sudden rush occurred, knocking him to the ground. The bar fell across his neck, and the heavy rocks that lay upon it strangled the unfortunate man. He leaves a wife and four children

Melancholy and Suicide.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Sept. 19.—Henry Wadsworth, of Keating, cut his throat from ear to ear with a razor yesterday afternoon about a mile and a half from his home. His body was found in the evening, and as he was not quite dead he was brought to this city. He will die. Melancholy was the cause for the act.

Miss Gould Not Engaged.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Edwin Gould denies the cable report that his sister Anna Gould, who is now in Paris, had become engaged to Prince Francis of Battenberg. This is the sixth engagement of Miss Gould rumored within the past year. "There is absolutely no foundation for the story," said Mr. Gould.

For Violating Pension Laws.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 19.—For violating pension laws in accepting fees from applicants for pensions before their applications were granted, George Otstot, of Mechanicsburg, was arrested last night at the instance of Special Examiner Martin and held for a hearing on Tuesday before United States Commissioner Wolfe. W. B. Stone, of Mechanicsburg, was arrested a week ago for a similar offense.

Yesterday's National League Games.

At Cincinnati—Philadelphia, 10; Cincinnati, 9. At Louisville—Washington, 9; Louisville, 4. At Clevland—First game: Cleveland, 9; Brooklyn, 3. Second game: Brooklyn, 7; Cleveland, 1. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 5, Boston, 4. At Chicago—First game: New York, 4; Chicago, 3. Second game: New York, 9; Chicago, 6. At Pittsburg—Baltimore, 18; Pittsburg, 8.

An Alleged Murderer Arrested.

READING, Pa., Sept. 19.—Gabriel Manzello, charged with the murder of Tilmano Thomas, a fellow countryman, at Port Clinton last May, was arrested here yesterday. The accused shot his associate and robbed him of several hundred dollars. Tomas was employed as a track hand by the Reading company.

Scanlon Removed to White Plains.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—William Scanlon, the actor, who on Monday was adjudged to be insane by a sheriff's jury, after having been an inmate of the Bloomingdale Insane asylum for more than two years, was removed from that institution to the new building at White Plains, N. Y., yesterday.

Urging Vigorous Anti-Anarchist Measures

BERNE, Sept. 19.—A petition bearing the names of 27,577 Swiss citizens has been presented to the federal council, demanding the adoption of vigorous repressive measures against anarchists.

The Lehigh Valley Strikers.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 19.—The convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen is still debating the proposition to raise funds for the relief of the idle firemen who went out in the Lehigh Valley strike last year. Several plans have been considered, but no conclusion has been reached. The opponents of Vice Grand Master Hannahan are working incessantly to prevent his reelection, and it looks as if they might succeed. Debs is doing all he can to prevent Hannahan's defeat.

Governor Flower Not a Candidate.

ALBANY, Sept. 19.—Governor Flower yesterday announced that he would not be a candidate for renomination for governor. He made known this determination to the Associated Press correspondent after a long interview with Senators Hill and Murphy.

NUGGETS OF NEWS

At Kansas City, Mo., Dr. W. F. Carver was again defeated by J. A. R. Elliott at live bird shooting.

Marshall Corry, his wife and 18-year-old daughter were killed by lightning at their home, near Owingsville, Ky.

The Republican congressional convention of the Third Maryland district nominated Dr. William S. Booze.

Steamer Indianapolis arrived at Boston from Bluefields. Captain Lamont says American interests in Nicaragua are poorly protected.

Governor Pattison has granted a respite for sixty days to George Dukovic, sentenced to be hanged at Pittsburg on Thursday next.

R. P. Searle, the cyclist, is at Erie, Pa., having ridden from Chicago, about 600 miles, in seventy-five hours, including seven hours' rest.

Thomas Moss, of McDowell county, W. Va., was shot by Gus Nida, a neighbor, and instantly killed. Nida then went home and shot his wife. She cannot recover. Jealousy was the cause.

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STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS

Closing Quotations of the New York and Philadelphia Exchanges.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—The share speculation today was irregular and unsettled, with the general trend of prices in the direction of lower figures, the industrial stocks showing the greatest depression. The volume of business was large, but the sellers were far in excess of the buyers, especially as regards Sugar. Chicago Gas and Distilling, which led in the transactions. Closing bids:

Lehigh Valley	37¾	W. N.Y. & Pa.	5¾
Pennsylvania	51⅛	Erie	15⅛
Reading	18⅝	D. L. & W.	171
St. Paul	65⅛	West Shore	104½
Lehigh Nav	51	N. Y. Central	100⅝
N.Y. & N.E 3d pf.	27	Lake Erie & W.	17⅞
New Jersey Cen	114⅝	Del. & Hudson	135¼

General Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 18.—Flour weak; winter super., $2.10@2.25; do. extras, $2.25@2.40; No. 2 winter family, $2.40@2.50; Pennsylvania roller straight, $2.50@2.65; western winter, clear, $2.40@2.60. Wheat dull, easier, with 55⅝c. bid and 56c asked for September. Corn dull, unchanged, with 60¾c. bid and 61¼c. asked for September. Oats quiet, steady, with 30½c. bid and 30¾c. asked for September. Beef steady. Pork firm. Lard steady: western steam, $9.35; city, $8.75@9. Butter quiet: New York dairy, 19@22½c.; Pennsylvania creamery prints, fancy, 25c.; do. choice, 23@24c.; do. fair to good, 21@22c.; prints jobbing at 20@29c. Cheese dull: New York, large, 8@10¾c.; do. small, 8¾@10¾c. Eggs dull: western fresh, 16½@18c; New York and Pennsylvania, 18½@19c.

Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—European cables quote American steers at 10@11c per pound dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 8@9c per pound. Calves steady: poor to prime veals, $5@7.25 per 100 pounds; grassers and buttermilk calves, $2@3; western calves, $4.50. Sheep and lambs active, steady: poor to good sheep, $2@3.25; common to good lambs, $3@4.35; no prime on sale. Hogs steady: fair to choice hogs, $6.20@6.40.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., Sept. 18.—Cattle active and higher for best grades; prime, $5.25@5.50; good, $4.50@5; bulls, stags and bologna cows, $1.50@3. Hogs lower: Philadelphias, $6.30@6.40; best Yorkers and good mixed, $6.10@6.20. Sheep firmer: extra, $3.25@3.50; good, $2.50@3; lambs, $2@3.85.

Youthful Desperadoes.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Sept. 19.—A band of five youthful burglars and safe robbers have been arrested at Lamar, Mo., and brought here. They have confessed to breaking in the store of the Devore Fruit company here last Saturday night and cracking the safe, from which over $500 in cash were taken. Their ages range from 9 up to 15, and all are negroes. They implicate a number of other boys.

The Rapid Spread of Cholera.

VIENNA, Sept. 19.—The official bulletins largely underrate the rapid spread of cholera in Galicia. The first case of the disease was reported yesterday in Moravia. Riots caused by attempts to enforce the sanitary regulations have occurred in several places, and the disorders were so serious that it was necessary to call upon the military to suppress them.

Decrease of Yellow Fever.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The marine hospital service has reports of a marked diminution of yellow fever and smallpox at Cienfugos, Cuba, which has been a danger point of yellow fever contagion for some time past. There were twenty deaths from yellow fever and fifty-five new cases at Havana last week.

Verdict Against a Trades Union.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 19.—The jury in the $5,000 damage case brought by George W. Locke against the Clothing Cutters and Trimmers' assembly, K. of L., for causing him to lose a lucrative situation, brought in a verdict of $3,500 in favor of the complainant.

"SHE COULDN'T MARRY THREE."

A Down Easter's Tribute to Miss Kennedy as the Fisherman's Daughter.

When Miss Kennedy was playing in a seaport in New England last season an admirer among the gods, who came every night during her stay there, insisted on throwing bunches of wild flowers upon the stage. Not content with this, he overwhelmed Miss Kennedy with baskets of lobsters and fresh fish by day. Every afternoon one of these packages of fish fresh from the sea was delivered at her hotel. She was at a loss to guess the origin of these welcome but mysterious presents, until upon inquiry she learned that it was the same old sailor and fishermen who sat in the front row of the gallery every night to see her play the fisherman's daughter in "She Couldn't Marry Three."

It is easy to understand how Miss Kennedy's impersonation of the fisherman's daughter appealed to the old salt, for Bess Brandon, as this talented actress plays the character, is acknowledge to be one of the gems of modern art in character creation. What an exquisite piece of acting it is the people of this city will have a chance to know when "She Couldn't Mary Three" is produced at the Casino, to-morrow evening.

Bitten by a Dog.

Edward Schofield, engineer at the pumping station on the Ogden Farm, was bitten by a dog belonging to Mrs. Mary Fourette at the Summit, Monday. An order to shoot the dog was granted by Justice Powelson, yesterday.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rhuematism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill. had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklin's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Sdeaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, and the doctors said he was incurable. One bottle of Electric Bitters and one box of Bucklin's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at McMonagle & Rogers Drug store.

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BROUGHT HIM TO TIME.

Brief Note That Brought a Long Winded Speaker to a Full Stop.

Henry Watterson tells this story of Hon. B. Lawless, a former member of the Louisville bar, and who came from Glasgow, Ky. He was a long winded talker, and when he arose to make an argument he did not know when to stop. On one occasion he was making a speech before Judge Ballard, in the United States Court. He had spoken several hours and the Judge and everybody else were thoroughly tired out, though they were helpless.

At last Judge Ballard beckoned his brother, Jack Ballard, to him, and implored him to stop Lawless, if he could.

"Oh, that's easy enough," replied the brother; "I'll stop him inside of three minutes."

There was a great deal of curiosity to see how this could be accomplished, as the orator seemed to be nowhere near the end of his speech. Jack Ballard took a pencil and a sheet of paper and wrote:

"My Dear Colonel: As soon as you finish your magnificent argument I would like you to join me to see Lillian Kennedy in 'She Couldn't Marry Three.'"

The note was handed to the orator, who paused at the end of a soaring period, drew his glasses from his pocket and read the note. He put it in his pocket and said:

"And now, if it pleases your honor, and you, gentlemen of the jury, I leave the case with you."

NEW HAMPTON.

Cows from the West—Cutting Corn—Personal Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—R. B. Wickham arrived from the West, Saturday night, with a carload of cows. He asks for them about forty dollars a head.

—Farmers in this section are busy cutting their corn. The extreme dry weather has caused it to ripen much earlier than usual.

—Mrs. H. T. Stage returned from Washington, D. C., Thursday evening, with her brother, George, with whom she has been spending the past month nursing him through a severe attack of typhoid fever, from which he has so far recovered as to be able to travel.

—Mrs. J. H. Smith and her daughter and son, of Erin, Chemung Co., are visiting her sister, Mrs. C. C. Stage.

PINE BUSH.

Removals—Improvements at the School House—Saturday's Trot—Other Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—John D. Stivers and Frank Hathaway, of Middletown, were callers in town, Sunday.

—Rev. Mr. Parks, of Circleville, has moved into Mrs. McWilliams's house, and will make Pine Bush his future home.

—The trustee of the school is having the school house painted, which improves its looks very much.

—There are several entries for the trot on Saturday.

—Carl Smith has moved in J. M. McEwen's house.

—Mrs. J. H. Wallace is spending a few weeks in New Jersey, visiting her mother's family.

MAMAKATING.

From Our Bloomingburgh Correspondent.

—At the Democratic caucus held at the Dorrance House, Wurtsboro, to choose delegates to the County Convention to choose delegates to the State Convention, Dr. Beakes was made Chairman and William Westfall Secretary. The following delegates were elected: Thomas M. Low, Eugene Rhodes, Charles McCune.

Death from Diphtheria in Deckertown.

John C. Smith, managing clerk of Linn & Lawrence, druggists, of Deckertown, died, Monday morning, of diphtheria, aged twenty-one years. He was the son of Benjamin C. Smith, and was very popular. All the business places in the village were closed during the funeral, Monday afternoon. There are several other cases of diphtheria in the village.

Liberty's Growth and Prosperity.

The Liberty *Gazette* figures out that since January 1st $74,000 has been expended in that village in new buildings and in enlarging and improving old ones. There are now under way new buildings which will cost $72 700. Among them are H. H. DeMeyer's brick hotel, to cost $13,000, and the Lancashire Inn, $10,000.

Jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace.

Attorney General Hancock has given an opinion to the effect that cases over which Justices of the Peace have jurisdiction may be tried by any Justice of the Peace in the county where the offense was committed, and are not limited for trial by a justice of the town.

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NEGROES IN THE DISTRICT.

They Want the Suffrage Restored Because They Charge Discrimination.

At the next session of congress a monster petition will be presented by Representative Murray of South Carolina, the only colored man in either house, praying for the restoration of the rights of political suffrage in the District of Columbia. It will be signed by a majority of the negroes of the District, headed by Frederick Douglass and ex-Senator Bruce. This move grows out of the refusal of the commissioners of the District to appoint a colored man as one of the members of the board of assessors recently created by act of congress. The colored men had an applicant in the person of Daniel A. Murray, an assistant in the congressional library and a member of the board of trade. Frederick Douglass especially interested himself in behalf of Mr. Murray, but the board refused to appoint him. The colored people made a stubborn fight for the assessorship, and now that that has been denied them no offices are left, and they propose to memorialize congress for the restoration of the right of suffrage in the District.

When the suffrage was in vogue in the District, the negroes were an important factor in the government, and a part of the patronage was accorded them. There was a negro assistant district attorney, a tax registrar and a city marshal, and other lucrative offices were filled by them. But with abolition of the right of suffrage they have been cut off one by one until the assessorship was the only place filled by a negro. Now even that has been taken away. Frederick Douglass says that the government of the District is an oligarchy, and it is a wonder to him that the people have tolerated it as long as they have. Under its present form of government he thinks it impossible for the 85,000 colored people to get any civil or political recognition. He says the trend is now against the negro, but that a reaction will speedily set in.

The sentiments of Mr. Douglass are indorsed by other prominent colored citizens of the District, who say that if they are not successful in their move they will at least let the world know they feel keenly the discrimination on account of color in the government of the District. The pastors of all the local churches are in favor of the movement, and the petitions will be placed at the several churches from Sunday to Sunday for signatures. — Washington Cor. New York Sun.

SEVENTEEN YEAR LOCUSTS.

Interesting Account of Some of Their Doings During Their Late Visit.

The 17 year locusts, about which the newspapers printed so many articles during the early part of the summer, have come and gone, but their united labors have left quite an impress upon the forest scenery. In many places about New York the oaks and other trees exhibit a great many broken branches, the leaves of which have withered, and as a consequence the woodland scenes show in checkered spots a late autumnal brown.

In old times, before the advent of the white man with his ax, no doubt this periodical pruning of the forest did not do any harm, but in these later days, when the locusts extend their attentions to everything that has a large enough stem to contain their eggs—to the peach, the pear and the apple trees, to the currant and gooseberry bushes—his estimate of their wide utility is lost in his consideration of the orchard that has already been pruned.

The eggs of the locusts were found this summer in over 70 kinds of trees, bushes and herbaceous plants. Indeed the females tried their ovipositors on everything that came in their way, often apparently by way of experiment.

The distribution of the locusts into colonies was interesting. They occupied by the million many hills and patches of woodland that seemed to differ in no respect from neighboring tracts where they were not so numerous. In one of these colonies on Staten Island the ground about the tree trunks was so covered by the pupa shells that it was in places completely hidden, and as the season wore on the dead locusts had to be raked up, as they gave forth an unpleasant odor. At dusk the sound of the many insects crawling from the ground up the tree trunks was quite audible—a constant tramping—and particularly vigorous pupæ sometimes ascended the trees to a height of 30 feet.

The severe storm that prevailed in the latter part of May killed and deformed many locusts just then emerging from the ground and also damaged the young leaves on the easterly sides of exposed trees. In point of reputation this storm also did the locusts harm, for it was no uncommon matter to hear them accused of causing the withered condition of the leaves, even before they had commenced to lay any eggs. —Cor. New York Post.

Who Will Go to China?

The cashier of the Second National bank of Altoona, Pa., has gone to Japan, carrying away a heavy bale of the assets of that institution, possibly with the intention of helping out the island people financially in their present crisis. To make things even some other cashier ought to run away to China with a like amount to bolster up the fiscal system of the pigtails. It would be hard on the home depositor, but that type of cashier is superior to such narrow and local interests. The case presents a variety of considerations, as the last one of the kind did and the next one will, but it seems useless to enlarge upon them.—New York Tribune.

Human Nature.

Samuel Gompers sizes up human nature in this way: "The more the wage-worker gets the more he will want. We are just like other people. You will find that the man who earns $1 a day aspires to $1.10, the man who has half a million wants a million, and the man who has $50,000,000 wants the earth."

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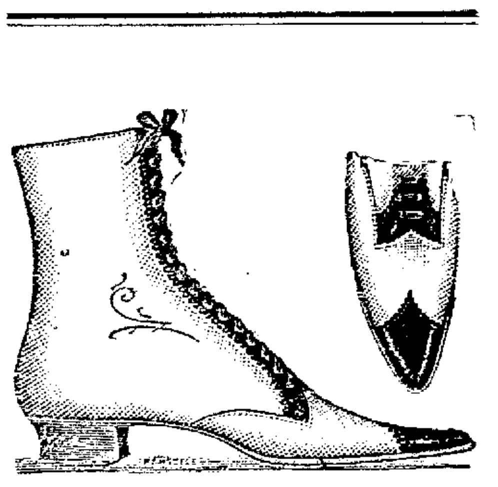

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DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

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COUNTY [illegible]

[illegible]

2nd Assembly District Convention.

The Democratic electors of the Second Assembly District [illegible] of Orange are hereby requested to meet at the usual places of holding their [illegible] meetings, [illegible] September [illegible] for the purpose of electing the number of delegates [illegible] to attend a convention to be held at the assembly rooms in Middletown, SATURDAY, September [illegible], 1894, [illegible] for the purpose of electing [illegible] delegates to represent the 2d Assembly district at the State Convention to be held at Saratoga Springs, Tuesday, September 25, 1894.

And also to elect one delegate to represent said district in Judicial Convention to be hereafter called.

[illegible] } Assembly
[illegible] } District
[illegible] } Committee.

Ben Odell, Jr., is continued as State Committeeman from this district. There was no one in the district who presumed to dispute his right to the position of Republican bosses.

It will be seen by reference to the call for the Assembly District Convention, at the head of this column, that it has been amended so as to provide for the election of a delegate to represent this district in the Judicial Convention to nominate a candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court.

Gov. Flower's refusal to be a candidate for renomination has set Democratic politicians talking about the most available man to head the State ticket. Ex-Secretary of State Frederick Cook is favored by many. Ex-Mayor John Boyd Thacher, of Albany, is suggested as an able, experienced and popular man, free from factional entanglements. Lieut. Gov. Sheehan is so confident of the strength and availability of Congressman Daniel N. Lockwood that he predicts that he will be the convention's choice. Other names mentioned are: Abram S. Hewitt, Charles S. Fairchild, Senator Hill, Judge Alton B. Parker, of Ulster, and Judge Gaynor, of Brooklyn.

The determination of Gov. Flower not to allow his name to go before the Democratic convention as a candidate for renomination, is undoubtedly wise. No one doubts that he could have had the nomination if he desired it, but he realized that in the fulfillment of what he believed to be his duty to the people of the State he had alienated certain elements in the Democratic party and deeming party success of infinitely greater importance than the attainment of personal ambition, he decided not to seek a renomination, but to leave the field open to a new man, who would be satisfactory to all the Democrats of the State.

There is more cant, [illegible], falsehood and demagogy in the Republican platform adopted at Saratoga, yesterday, than in any political platform of this generation. It is as [illegible] of truth and decency in its [illegible] as in its violation of Democracy, and it insults the intelligence of the people of the Empire State by its transparent bids for the votes of [illegible]. The platform may [illegible], but if there is a Democrat wavering in his allegiance to his party the [illegible] put forward by the Republicans of this State as a declaration of their principles cannot fail to send him to the right about and back into the lines of his old party, for no one who ever believed in the principles of Democracy can ever cast his lot for even one election with a party which openly avows its sectionalism, Pharisaism, intolerance and hate.

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Correspondence [illegible] Messenger.

The Harmas Home Sociable which was to have been held at B. Holt's, this evening, has been postponed until Thursday evening Sept. 20.

We're Sorry for Him.

Edward D. G. Crans, of the Middletown Press, has a tent on the fair grounds.—*Newburgh Press.*

Popular prices will prevail during the short engagement of Lillian Kennedy Company.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

NAVAL BATTLE IN THE YALU RIVER

The Chinese Lose Three Ships and Many Men—Three Japanese Vessels Supposed to Have Been Sunk.

BY UNITED PRESS.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—A Tien-Tsin despatch says a naval battle at the Yalu River was fought on Monday 17th. The Japanese attacked the Chinese vessels while they were landing troops. The Chinese lost the naval vessels Chan-Yuen, Chao-Yung and Yang-Wei. Three Japanese vessels are supposed to have been sunk.

A large number of Chinese were killed among them Admiral Ting. Col. Von Hanneken and a volunteer named Tyler.

The Chinese succeeded in landing a large force.

Great consternation prevails in Peking. The Emperor is determined to assume the management of affairs, but such a step is not favored by the government officials, who say such a course is beneath his dignity.

OSTERHOUT'S TRIAL FOR MURDER

Five Witnesses Examined This Morning—The District Attorney's Strong Case.

BY UNITED PRESS.

MONTICELLO, Sept. 19.—The trial of Hiram Osterhout for the murder of Jacob Moore commenced in earnest this morning, a jury having been procured. District Attorney Hill in opening, said the testimony to be presented would prove conclusively the prisoner's guilt. Five witnesses have been examined up to noon.

The general impression is that the prisoner will be convicted.

LOCOMOTIVE FIREMEN'S ELECTION.

BY UNITED PRESS.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 19.—Sargent has been re-elected Grand Master of the Locomotive Firemen by acclamation. John J. Hannahan has been elected one of the Vice-Grand Masters.

REPUBLICAN STATE COMMITTEE.

BY UNITED PRESS.

SARATOGA, Sept. 19.—The only vacancy in the State Committee, that from the Fourteenth District, was filled, this morning. Brookfield will probably continue as chairman.

MORE DEMOCRATIC TARIFF RUIN.

BY UNITED PRESS.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—The *Daily News* says that a syndicate has been formed here for the purpose of manufacturing tin plate in America.

A WONT-GO-HOME-TILL MORNING CONVENTION.

BY UNITED PRESS.

SARATOGA, Sept. 19.—The Republican convention did not adjourn sine die until 2.13, this morning.

To Continue the Fair on Saturday.

A message to the ARGUS, from Newburgh, this afternoon, states that on account of the rain the fair will be continued until 2:30 p. m., on Saturday.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

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Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

New York, Sept. 19, '94.

	High	Low	Close
Sugar	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
A. T. & S. F.	7¼	7	7¼
C. B. & Q.	79½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Gas	79	[illegible]	[illegible]
D. L. & W.			
Dis. & Cat. F.	11	10¾	11
Erie	15	14¾	15
General Electric	38¼	38	[illegible]
L. & N.	56½	55¾	[illegible]
L. S.			
M. P.	29½	29	[illegible]
N. Y. & N. E.	28½	[illegible]	28½
N. Y. C.	101	101	101
N. W.	104¾	104	104
N. P. Pfd.	20	[illegible]	20
O. & W.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Manhattan	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
R. I.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
R. & R.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. P.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
C. C. C. & St. L.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
T. C.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
W. Union	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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MARRIED.

CLARK—WILSON.—At Glenwood, Sept. 13th, '94, by Rev. T. M. Granville, George L. Clark and Laura E. Wilson, both of Hamburg.

DIED.

WICKHAM.—Near Ridgebury, Sept. 19th, '94, William Watson Wickham, aged fifty-three years.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, Saturday, at eleven o'clock, at the Presbyterian Church at Ridgebury, and from his late residence at ten o'clock. Interment in family plot, at Ridgebury.

5

Cts. a Pound

BEST

Soda Crackers!

-SLOAT'S-

Cash Store.

CLEVER DETECTIVE WORK.

How George Waldorf Ran Down Frank Teel—What the Prisoner Has To Say for Himself and His Associates

FROM A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

The capture of Frank Teel in Canada by George Waldorf, was a very clever bit of detective work.

As soon as it was known that Teel had jumped his bail and sought safety from punishment in flight, arrangements were made to have the mail passing through the Hurleyville post office, watched, and when a letter came for Mrs. Teel from her husband in Canada, Waldorf knew of its arrival before Mrs. Teel had received it. From the hour she received the letter a watch was kept on her movements and when she went to Liberty and took a train for Niagara Falls, Waldorf, with his face and hands blacked and carrying a fiddle under his arm, went along.

On the train on which Waldorf was taking his prisoner to New York, he watched him as a cat would a mouse. He took no chances, for, as he said, "I have the bail of $5,000 in that fellow and I don't intend to lose it again."

Teel says that he did not help print the obscene books and pictures; that Stratton did that part of the work and he looked after their sale. He says further that his father, A. B. Teel, now in jail on the charge of being a party to the manufacture and sale of the immoral publications, is innocent and had no knowledge of what he and his associates were doing.

Teel's wife was with him yesterday on the train on which he was taken to New York.

Mr. Waldorf formally surrendered Teel to United States Commissioner Alexander, yesterday morning, who re-committed him to the custody of the United States Marshal. Another charge, stealing a registered letter from the mails, was preferred against him, and he was held in $2,500 bail on this new charge, making the total bonds which he must give to secure release $7,500.

RUSTICUS.

After Scarlet Fever

My little son Lemuel, was left with a gathering in his head and a large swelling on one side of his neck, which caused his head to be drawn over towards one shoulder. This continued for some time, and all we could do and all the doctor's medicine we could give him, were of no use. But we began to give him Hood's Sarsaparilla, and after taking only one bottle he was perfectly cured, and has been in good health ever since. My faith in Hood's

Lemuel Atkins, Jr.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

Sarsaparilla is so strong that I recommend it to every one I can. It is our every day medicine. LEMUEL W. ATKINS, Warwarsing, N. Y.

N. B. If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy any other.

Hood's Pills give universal satisfaction. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

The great production of the new edition of "She Couldn't Marry Three," will be one of the greatest events of the season.

SOME NUTS TO CRACK.

We have noticed that our friends, Messrs. "Buy of-the-Manufacturers," have taken to themselves some of the things contained in our late "Creed." Now we were not in the least personal, nor should we have thought them guilty of the practices we disclaimed had they not been so hasty to hold up their hands in protestation, as if exclaiming "Far be it from us, Lord!" On reflection, it seems like a case of "be sure your sins will find you out;" else why this swift attempt at vindication or white-washing, were there nothing to vindicate or cleanse? Can you tell?

We dislike to think of their attack on the subject of preparing advertisements, and their assertion that "it is well for them that they have a father" as directed to us, for we thought them gentlemen; but it is too personal to admit of mistake, and we must confess our error in estimating men. As ever, we endeavor to place before the public the best we can obtain, be it clothes or newspaper advertisements, but we are not advertisement writers, manufacturing clothiers, custom tailors, hatters, dealers in gents' furnishings, etc., etc., all personified in one "Company," but we claim to be clothiers. As to being fortunate in having a father, we cheerfully admit the same, and are more conscious of our good fortune as we view the lack of business-like methods that the counsel and good judgment of a father to the "Company" would bring.

Again. "Buy of the manufacturer and save one profit." Who saves that one profit? As we sell the product of the best manufacturers at a less figure than they sell their own product, we ask you if they are not the ones who save or rather make that one profit, and not the buyer? Seems probable, doesn't it?

ISAAC LIPFELD,

No. 25 North Street, Middletown, N. Y.

CARSON & TOWNER.

KID GLOVES.

We Have Received Our Import Order of the Celebrated "Biarritz Sac Glove."

According to our usual custom you can buy them for the next ten days at 50 CENTS PER PAIR. They are the best glove made at $1.00. Try them.

CARSON & TOWNER,

No. 11 WEST MAIN STREET, MIDDLETOWN

Headquarters, Latest Styles Hats, Hats!

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

Gents' Furnishing Goods, Underwear,

GLOVES AND MITTENS.

Merchant Tailoring Department

We are showing nobby Fall and Winter Suitings, Overcoatings and Trouserings, of foreign and domestic manufacture, all new and prices right for FIRST-CLASS WORK. Fit and Workmanship guaranteed. Mr. Rodgers is sure to please you. Now is the time to order your Suit, Overcoat or Extra Trousers, while the stock is complete, at

JOHN E. ADAMS'S,

Leading Hatter, Clothier, Merchant Tailor and Gents' Furnisher

No. 41 North Street, Middletown.

CASH MAY BE RATHER SCARCE

BUT

Dry Goods are Selling at

Very Low Prices!

A dollar will buy more than usual. Do you need Cotton Goods, Shirtings, Canton Flannels or Woolen Blankets, made of cotton? We have them at very low rates. We invite inspection of our new Fall Dress Goods—the styles are new, the prices very low. Look at our Storm Serge at $1.35 per dress pattern. Our fine French Serge at $1.65 per pattern. Do you need Table Linens, Towels or Napkins? We can please you in variety, price or quality. Prices far lower than heretofore. Come and see.

H. E. Churchill & Co.,

39 NORTH ST.

ONLY

Pure Spices Sold

AT THE

City Pharmacy,

S. T. CLINEMAN & CO.,

COR. NORTH AND CORTLAND STS

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Wines, Liquors and Cigars

MEALS ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN.

The Assembly Rooms for Balls and Entertainments.

MASONIC BUILDING,

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WHY?

Taste of "Royal Ruby Port Wine" and you will know why we call it "Royal." A glass held up to the light will show why we call it Ruby. $500 reward for any bottle of this wine found under five years old, or in any way adulterated. It is grand in sickness and convalescence, or where a strengthening cordial is required; recommended by druggists and physicians. Be sure you get "Royal Ruby," don't let dealers impose on you with something "just as good." Sold only in bottles; price, quarts $1, pints 60 cts. Bottled by Royal Wine Co. Sold by

J. E. MILLS, Druggist.

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Druggist and Pharmacist,

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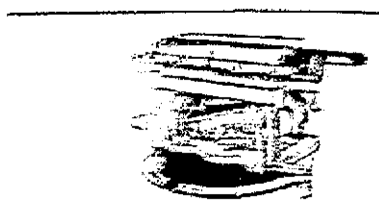

The Edison Mimeograph Typewriter.

It Lacks the Highest Speed,—but

It is fast enough.

It has steel type.

It is simple to learn.

It is easy to operate.

It inks from a ribbon.

It is a heavy [illegible].

It is within the reach of all in price.

It does as good work as the hundred dollar machines.

It is guaranteed in every respect.

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Call and see it.

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Flour, Grain, Hay and Mill Feeds.

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CASH PAID FOR

Dead and worn out Horses and Cows, and carted away at short notice. Address us by postal or telegraph at our cost.

MEYER & GARRABRANT

[illegible] MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.

MOXON'S LINIMENT

is used and recommended by the leading horsemen and trainers of the country. I have just received a fresh supply. Ask for a sample.

F. M. PRONK

Don't Have Your Horses Eaten Up

by flies, when you can buy a Blanket for 35c. Lap Dusters, in all colors and styles, from 5 cents up. Harness in all styles and all prices. Come and look at them before you buy elsewhere.

EMIL E. E. RAASCH,

NORTH ST. MIDDLETOWN.

Something to Talk About.

Our cut prices have caused considerable talk among the public, and we are able to meet all demands. Everything as advertised · no deception.

Men's cassimere suits $4, $6, $8, formerly $6, $9, $12; fine clay diagonal suits $7.50 and $10, formerly $10 and $15; extra value men's pants 75c. and $1; for the big boys, fine black cheviot suits at $4 50, up to 19 years; for the little boys, suits 75c., 98c.; fine dress suits $2.25, extra pants 19c., waists 16c., caps or hats 25c., overalls, all styles, 35c; dress shirts 38 cts., 50 mackintoshes at $4, good for rain or cold weather.

Do not forget we can make your clothing to order at ready-made prices. Our customers know they get honest dealings and our prices pinch our competitors.

Morris B. Wolf

BLUE FRONT STORE 10 NORTH ST.

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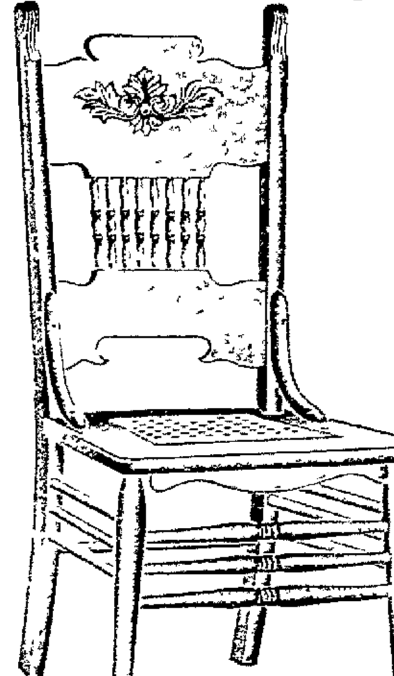

ASK THE PRICE.

When you hear it you will fall down.

This is an elegant solid oak Diningroom Chair, former price $15 per set. Now the price is —. Come and ask it.

THE

C. E. Crawford Furniture Co.

44-46 North Street.
Middletown, N. Y.
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EAT YOUR DINNER IN A HURRY.

eat at irregular hours, or eat improper food and you are courting

DYSPEPSIA.

If you have a touch of dyspepsia or indigestion in any form, use McMonagle & Rogers' Pepsin Essence, Pleasant to take, gives relief, effects a cure. Large size bottles 75c., trial bottles 25c.

Read what a veteran Railroad Official says about it.

"I have used McMonagle & Rogers' Pepsin Essence for Dyspepsia and Heart Trouble caused by indigestion, and have been greatly benefitted by its use."
Dan C. Lamont, Middletown, N. Y

IF YOU ARE PICKLING FRUIT,

stop at McMonagle & Rogers' Drug Store and get some choice spices for fruit-pickling, etc. For light colored fruit use McMonagle & Rogers' Extract Cinnamon and Cloves, which do not stain the fruit.

McMonagle & Rogers, Druggists.

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SIXTY STYLES OF CORSETS

WHO COULD NOT GET SUITED?

C. W. FANCHER & CO.,

7 West Main Street.

DAILY ARGUS.

OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON. Sept. 19—Rain, followed by fair, variable winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:

7 a. m., 62°; 12 m., 64°; 3 p. m., 63°.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

5—Salesman wanted Address P O Box 1371. New York.

—Girl wanted to do general housework.

—Girl wanted as tailor's helper

—Shirting prints 3 cts., apron checks 4 cts. at Geo B. Adams & Co.'s.

—"Some nuts to crack." See adv of Isaac Lipfeld

—Oysters 25 cents a quart at Totten's.

—Vocal and theoretical instruction. See adv. of Harvey Lewis Wickham.

—The celebrated Jamestown dress goods for sale by Horton & McBurney.

—The L D. Association picnic has been postponed to Friday evening

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Morris B. Wolf has a special sale in mackintoshes.

—The Mary Powell excursion has been postponed until Wednesday next.

—A meeting of the Archdeaconry of Orange is being held in Newburgh, to-day.

—A man who "got over the bay,' last night, paid three dollars into the police fund, this morning.

—A special meeting of McQuoid Engine Co. will be held at the engine house at 8 o'clock, this evening.

—The regular drill season of the 24th Separate Company will commence the first Tuesday after election day.

—The picnic of the Liquor Dealers' Association, which was to have been held, to-day, has been postponed until Friday afternoon and evening.

—Paterson's street fund having been exhausted, 2?3 men were laid off to day, and only a few men, to make necessary repairs, will be kept on the pay rolls.

—Messrs. Cheesbro and Madison, of the Asylums, have gone to their homes at North Adams, Mass., to attend the Hoosac Valley Cattle Show and while there will play in two games on the fair grounds.

—The attendance on the schools was light, to-day, on account of the severity of the storm. Few pupils in the primary departments were present at the morning's session and at noon the primary rooms were dismissed for the day.

PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Chas. G Schwartz, of Poughkeepsie, is visiting Mrs. W. S. Jones, on North street.

—J. W. Hill is at Newburgh, to-day, attending a meeting of the Prohibition County Committee.

—Major W. M Combs returned, yesterday, from a visit to his parents at Auburn, N. Y.

—Mrs. H. E. Emerson, of Middletown, is making a few weeks' visit to friends in this place and Rockland.—*Liberty Gazette*,

—Mr. Peter Kirk and Miss Mary E. Tierney, of this city, will be married at 5 o'clock, this evening, at St. Joseph's Church.

—Mr. James Carroll, of this city, and Miss Lizzie Kain, of Goshen, will be married at St. John's Church in Goshen at 5 o'clock, this evening.

—Miss Jennie, daughter of Mr. Geo. W. Green, will go to Fordham, Friday, to enter as a student at the Fordham Business College.

—Mr. William Gray, the State Hospital's very competent florist, is sole judge of the floral exhibits at the County Fair.

—Mr. G. Spencer Cowley, accompanied by his nephew, Master Clarke Skinner, returned to this city, last evening, after spending a week pleasantly with relatives in Scranton, Pa.

—Mrs. Juliette Wilson, of Lake avenue, left town, Monday, for a two weeks' visit to her daughter, Mrs. Anna Gale, of Boston, Mass. Her neic [illegible] s Belle Stryker, of Annandale, N. Y., accompanied her.

—In the distribution of places at the Republican State Convention, Mayor Stansbury was honored by being selected by the delegates from this district to represent the district on the Committee on Permanent Organization.

—Conductor Daniel Schultz, of trains 38 and 29, was in town, to-day. Mr. Schultz's friends are anxious that he should secure the Democratic nomination for the Assembly. Should the political lightning strike him Mr. Schultz would make a creditable representative in the Assembly.

WALLKILL DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

Delegates Elected to All the Conventions.

The Democrats of the town of Wallkill held their caucus at Circleville, last evening. Mr. DeWitt Derby was elected Chairman and W. H. Shaw, Secretary.

The following delegates were chosen:

Assembly State—R. A. Harrat, Wm. Wilkin, Frank Mills, W. M. Clark.

Assembly District—Andrew Crans, DeWitt Derby, Nathan J. Mills, Jr., Adelbert Ferguson.

County—O. W. Harlow, W. M. Clark, N. J. Mills, Jr., James Horton.

Congressional—R. A. Harrat, W. H. Shaw.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUSES.

Delegates Elected to the Several Conventions.

The Democratic electors of the several wards of this city held their caucuses, last evening, and elected delegates to the several conventions.

FIRST WARD.

The First Ward caucus was held at Monhagen Hose house. J. A. Wallace was made chairman, E. S. Merrill secretary and Robert C. Gillespie and Charles Keener, tellers. Delegates were elected as follows:

Assembly (State)—W. H. Hyde, John A. Wallace, Chas. Keener, A. E Luddington.

Assembly—John H. Tierney, A. J. Bell, Wm. Musbach, D. B. Sweeney.

County—John Dicks. John Schindler, Geo. Maier, Benj. Van Keuren.

Congressional—Wm. Pohlman.

SECOND WARD.

The Second Ward primary was held at Phœnix engine house. Thos. M. Kane was elected chairman, H. C. McBrair, secretary, and Joseph Giles and Wm. Higham, tellers. The following delegates were chosen:

Assembly (State)—Wm. F. O'Neill, Chas. V. Puff, Owen McGuire, Fred Hyde.

Assembly—A. V. Boak, L. Wengenroth, W. W. Taylor, Joseph Giles.

County—T, M. Kane, Timothy Mongan, J. B. Swalm, Wm. Rogers.

Congressional—W. H. Rogers.

THIRD WARD.

The Third Ward caucus was held at the Commercial Hotel. John Gavin was elected chairman and A. C. Bowers, secretary. On motion the chairman and secretary were made tellers. The following delegates were elected;

Assembly (State)—John Gavin, Joshua Hirst, Geo. A. Swayze.

Assembly—John C R. Taylor, Will Garland, John Wilkin.

County—J, J. Lawlor, Thomas Kennedy, J. M. Garland.

Congressional—Rosslyn M. Cox.

FOURTH WARD.

The Fourth Ward caucus was held in a vacant store on Fulton street. Geo. T. Walker was elected chairman, Chester Bogart, secretary and Stephen Wolf and Walter Holley, tellers. The following delegates were chosen:

Assembly (State)—Ira L Case, J. H. Conkling, S. Wolf, A. Coddington.

Assembly — J. L. Sweezy, J. J. Nolan, F. J. Nearn, Frank Cullinan.

County — F. J. Nearn, Geo. T. Walker, Gabriel Tuthill, M. K. Wilson.

Congressional—S. M. Boyd.

The delegates to the Assembly State convention are all in favor of Thomas Watts, Esq, as delegate to the State Convention. The county delegates are understood to favor the nomination of John Dicks for Sheriff.

As to the delegates to the convention to nominate a candidate for Member of Assembly no one is absolutely sure of their preferences. Guesses of all kinds are being made. An enthusiastic supporter of S D Roberson says that the delegation stands Roberson 13, Kinsila 2. It is certain, however, that W. H. Wyker, of Goshen, has several delegates and Mr. Kinsila has more strength than the estimate above quoted gives him. It is probable that the delegation stands: Roberson 7; Kinsila 4; Wyker 4.

NEW RIFLE RANGE FOR THE 24TH

The Campbell Track Range Unsafe—Negotiating for a New Range at Midway Park.

The members of the 24th Separate Company are very anxious to indulge in outdoor rifle practice but have been deterred from using the range on the Campbell track owing to the fact that it is considered extremely dangerous. There is no natural background for the bullets to lodge in, and after one day's practice, held last season, it was plainly evident that the "backstop" of planks and stone was not sufficient protection, for a stray bullet might strike some one who happened to be in the woods or on the road beyond.

Captain McIntyre has spent considerable time in looking for a suitable site for the range and has finally selected a spot near Midway Park, which will allow a clear range of 700 yards, with a hill sixty feet high as a back ground.

If satisfactory arrangements can be made with the owners of the property, marker's pits will be dug at once and the targets placed in position, so that the members of the 24th may have an opportunity to win the State decoration for 1894, before the season closes in November.

THE ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

An Expert Opinion of the Road Bed—Some Fine Cars Coming.

Mr. E. M. Kling, manager of the St. Louis Car Co., the builders of the vestibuled electric cars in use here, was in town, yesterday, and took a ride over our electric road. He said he had seen most of the roads in the United States and none has a better road bed than the Middletown lines.

Mr. Kling assured the officers of the company that the new vestibuled cars, ordered from his establishment, which will arrive next month, will be the finest electric cars in this section of the country.

Charles Robinson, one of the finest comedians on the vaudeville stage, has been especially engaged for the support of the Lillian Kennedy engagement.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Basley Gerow.

From the Liberty Gazette.

Mrs. Barbara A., wife of Basley Gerow, died at her home near Liberty, at nine o'clock Sunday evening, Sept. 16th, aged 75 years.

Mrs. Gerow was a daughter of David Clements. She was married to Mr. Gerow in 1844 since which time they have lived on the Gerow farm, just below the village limits. Besides her husband she is survived by her two adopted children, Mrs. Gertie Delamater, of Liberty, and Mr. James Gerow, of Staten Island.

This is the third death in a family of seven children. The survivors are Mrs. Jane Sutton, of Wisconsin, aged 81 years; Mr. David Clements, of Liberty, aged 79 years; Mr. James Clements, of Wisconsin, aged 77 years, and Mrs. Elizabeth Strong, of Monticello, aged 72 years. Her two brothers that died were John and Andrew Clements, aged respectively 83 and 81 years.

William Wallace Wickham.

William Wallace Wickham, one of Wawayanda's best known and most respected citizens, died, this morning, at his home near Ridgebury, aged fifty three years.

A more extended obituary will be published, to-morrow. The funeral notice appears elsewhere.

BURGLARS AT WORK.

The Office of Wallace's Coal Yard Entered Last Night—Little Plunder Secured.

Thieves entered the office of Mr. John A. Wallace's coal yard, last night, but found little plunder, for Mr. Wallace, being a careful business man, does not leave money in his office at night. The burglars secured an unendorsed check for $8 05, on which payment has been stopped, a treasurer's certificate for $5, belonging to Midland Chapter, which is worthless to them, and twenty-five pennies. They also secured a gold pen, which Mr. Wallace values highly, having had it for thirty years.

Entrance was gained by breaking the glass of a window. There is no clue to the thieves.

MASONIC MATTERS.

Hoffman Lodge's Regular Communication—District Convention Next Week.

The first regular communication of Hoffman Lodge, No. 412, F. and A. M., for the season of 1894 5, was held, last evening, W. M., W. M. Combs in the East. The second or Fellowcraft degree was conferred on four candidates.

On Monday and Tuesday next, a district convention will be held in this city, under the direction of Grand Lecturer Raymond and District Deputy Krenrich. The object of the convention will be the exemplification of the secret work. On Monday evening, the first degree will be exemplified, Tuesday morning the second and Tuesday evening the third degree. It is expected that there will be a large attendance of Master Masons present from this, the Tenth Masonic District.

Y M. C. A. ELECTION.

Directors Chosen at the Annual Meeting Last Night.

At the annual meeting of the members of the Young Men's Christian Association, last evening, the following directors were elected: Charles J. Cooper, W. R. Southwell, C. H. Emde, David E. Lain, W. Nelson Knapp, H. B. Woodward, Edwin T. Hopkins, W. W. Clark.

The three directors first named were re-elected; the others are new members of the Board elected to fill vacancies caused by resignations, as follows:

D. E. Lain in place of C. D. Hanford, W. N. Knapp in place of W. H. Knapp (each for two years); H. B. Woodward in place of H. L. Adams; E. T. Hopkins in place of D. F. Seward (each for one year), and W. W. Clark in place of Dr. F. A. Carpenter, removed to New York (for three years).

Middletown's Lone, Yet Lucky Exhibitor at the County Fair.

So far as we can learn from the Newburgh papers. Middletown has but one exhibitor at the County Fair, Mrs. George S. Belding, who shows plants and flowers. Fortunately for Mrs. Belding her exhibit is one of the kind that will stand even a superabundance of moisture without suffering damage.

The Wheelmen's Meet Postponed Indefinitely.

The Wheelmen's meet at the Campbell track, scheduled for this afternoon, was declared off owing to the storm. The committee will hold a meeting this evening, at which time it will be decided when the races will be held.

Ladies' Minstrels' Rehearsal.

The Ladies' Minstrels held a rehearsal at the Assembly Rooms, last evening. Considerable interest is manifested among the young ladies and the success of the affair, under the able leadership of Mr. Chas, F. Roper, is assured.

Population of the State Hospital.

According to the *Conglomerate* there were, Wednesday, 1,064 patients in the State Hospital, in this city, of whom 524 were males and 540 females During the week no patients were admitted and one discharged.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

Horses Sent to the Dutchess County Fair—Sale of the Straney Property—The Library Association's Appeal.

From our Regular Correspondent

—The following horses are to be sent, to day, for the races at the Dutchess County Fair, at Poughkeepsie: Springdale, Kittie Hogan and Prince Mansfield. They go under the management of John Brown, Jr.

—Mr. N. H. Wilcox has purchased the Straney property on Main street. He will take possession April 1st. He will build a stable suitable for use as a livery stable in the rear of the house.

—The trustees of the Goshen Library and Historical Association have sent out circulars requesting the recipients to become members of the association, to subscribe to its funds and contribute to its collections. It is a worthy object and merits the support of all our citizens.

CAPT. JACKSOM POST'S CAMP FIRE

A Largely Attended and Very Enjoyable Gathering at the Post Rooms.

At the headquarters of Capt. Jackson Post, G. A. R, corner North and Orchard streets, every room and chamber was illuminated, last evening, as a camp fire was in progress and the Women's Relief Corps had turned out in force to make it a success.

The vocal and instrumental music and the recitations were in charge of Mrs. Geo. S. Gillett, and all who took part acquitted themselves with credit.

A large delegation from Gen. Lyon Post was present as invited guests and a general good time was enjoyed.

On account of the camp fire, the muster in ceremonies of Comrade S. A. Fay and others, were deferred until the next meeting.

The Charge of Theft Not Proven.

Carmine Futino swore out a warrant for the arrest of Guiseppe Amelio, charging him with having stolen a pair of boots and a razor. Officer Sharpe went to Washingtonville, yesterday afternoon, and captured his prisoner who was working on the new water works at that place.

The evidence which was introduced was insufficient to hold the man and the Recorder accordingly discharged him.

St. Joseph's New Assistant Pastor.

From the Newburgh Register.

Everybody will remember the Rev, Father Butler, who was some time the assistant pastor at St. Patrick's Church in Newburgh. He was a very popular and genial man, and a capable pastor while in this city, and won favor in all circles. He is about to become the assistant pastor at St. Joseph's Church in Middletown.

Barn Burned at Florida

A barn owned by James Hunt, of Florida, was destroyed by fire, Sunday morning. All the contents, which included two horses, hay, wagons, etc., were burned. Loss partly covered by insurance with A. V. D. Wallace, of Goshen.

Dime Sociable.

The Ladies' Benevolent Union of the North Street Congregational Church will hold a dime sociable at the residence of Mrs. John Vail, 99 Linden avenue, Thursday evening, Sept 20th. Refreshments will be served.

A Modern Beauty

Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open iar. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant liquid laxative Syrup of Figs.

Ready mixed paint—best quality—$1.25 per gallon. McMonagle & Rogers, druggists.

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MORNING SALES,

Thursday and Friday,

FROM

9 TO 11 A. M.,

100 Pieces Full Count Shirting Prints 3 Cts. a Yard.

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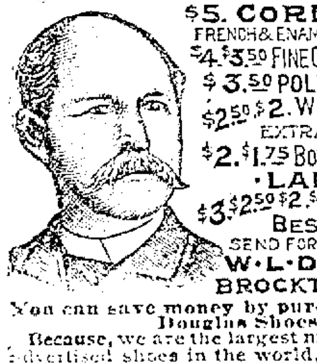

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And sleep awhile. What if in dreams the door
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—Caryl Battersby in Good Words.

THE WITCH OF YELL.

The witch sat placidly sewing in her doorway when I saw her first, looking like nothing in the world but a soncie Zetlander of some 40 odd years, with a fresh color and a thick coil of raven black hair half hidden by her headgear, a bright blue handkerchief spotted with white. I gave her good morning and asked her if she would give me a glass of water and a bannock of oatcake, as I had been walking for some hours and was both hungry and thirsty.

"And welcome," she said, with the pretty Shetland courtesy, "if you be from Ireland, mistress."

"I am Irish," I said, "but wouldn't you give an oatcake to an English woman, my friend? No?" as she shook her head resolutely. "And how is that?"

"No food of my baking will pass Scots or Southron lips," she said harshly. "Sit ye down," pointing to her own stool. "Ye're fair tired out, mistress."

I laughed faintly as I accepted the seat. "I have been trying to walk away from myself," I said, "and though I've tramped through a whole forenoon I haven't done it yet."

"Ah!" she said, smiling a little—only with her lips, for her eyes kept their steady sadness. "It's a far way you have to go, mistress, and you must walk by night 'stead o' day. You're married," glancing down at my ungloved hands. "Have ye ever borne a child?" I looked down at my black dress and nodded silently. The woman drew in her breath sharply as if she were hurt at heart. "Aye," she said, "so have I, and lost it too. Poor lass!" And to my intense astonishment she stopped and kissed me once and again. "How old was he?" she went on gravely, taking no heed at the wonder in my face. "Mine was a man grown, but yours must ha' been but a bairn. Ye have the look of a bairn yourself."

"Have I?" I said, with a dreary laugh. "An old bairn, I'm afraid. My boy was 7 years old."

"Aye, and your man's alive? Do I know your man, and what for does he let you come here to dree your weird alone?"

"My man knows it's the kindest thing he could do," I said. "And I think perhaps you know him," I added, a little proudly. "Nearly every one in the islands knows Hector MacKenneth."

"Ay, do they. He's a man!" the witch said emphatically, as she came out of the cottage with a plate of bannocks and a big cup of milk. "And there's never a soul in the islands but he has done a kind turn or spoken a kind word to—even to me."

"Why 'even to you?'" I asked. "My husband has a great respect for you. He told me you were the wisest woman in the islands, Lief."

"Did he, now? And I his brother's wife!" the witch said musingly.

I started. "Whose wife? Not Ronald MacKenneth's—Ronald that died in England?"

"That same Ronald," she said quietly. 'He died in the south, I know, and some Southron brought the news to MacKenneth himself. But he lies buried away in the south, I heard say. Do ye know where, Mistress MacKenneth?"

"No; I wish I could tell you, poor soul," I said pitifully. "I wish I could help you."

"My bonny Ronald," she said, looking out to the blue, tumbling waves of the sound, her eyes grave and sad and her voice very low. "It's little ye thought of me, but on the day we were handfasted and the day ye lay a-dying." Then she bent down a little and looked sharply into my face.

"Did ever any one in the islands say to ye that we two were not man and wife? Did ever MacKenneth himself?"

"Never MacKenneth," I said honestly.

"Others have, though." She looked sharply at me again, then caught my hand in hers and dragged me up from my seat. "Come wi' me, you wife of the MacKenneth, and I'll show you what handfasting means to a woman."

I drew my cloak round me with my free hand, and we went slowly together over the scattered rocks and sand and down a little grassy slope, till we stood in front of an upright stone with a round hole in its center.

"There," said the witch, still holding my hand fast in hers, "there's where we were married—my man and I. See ye here, Eleanor MacKenneth, do you love your man, or liked ye your first lad best?"

I cried in my heart to the dead and gone Oscar to forgive me, and then I looked the woman fairly in the eyes and answered her, "I love MacKenneth best."

"Where were ye married? In kirk, of course?"

"In kirk, yes. We were married in a London church," I said; "the Church of St. Stephen."

"Kirk Stephen, aye? Well, this is Kirk Odin, where thousands have been made man and wife in their day. Go you nearer to the stone, wife of MacKenneth, and you shall be married there too, if ye be na' afraid."

"Do I look afraid?" I said, with a smile, and [illegible] look at me.

"Then [illegible] your hand—through the hole in the stone." I obeyed with some difficulty, for the hole was unevenly cut, and its edges were jagged. "Now," said the witch, "open your hand and hold it so, and now say after me"——

I hesitated a moment and then repeated after her. "In the name of the One Eyed, the name of Odin, I hold thee and have thee through this life, and that life, and all lives to follow. I call thee and keep thee, my hand for the witness, my lips for thy kissing, my strength for thy weakness, my tears for thy sorrow, my breast for thy head when thou boune thee to sleeping, my life for thy calling"— Then she stopped and looked vaguely at me and beyond me, and I finished the oath with words that rose in my mind, though I had never heard them before:

"My life for thy calling, my death for thy living. Hear, Thor and hear Odin and Hector MacKenneth." Then I drew my hand out from the hole and turned to the witch, but the next minute I saw that her thoughts were not with me or with this material world at all, and I went softly away, leaving her standing with her back to the sea and her eyes fixed on the great stone, listening intently and vainly, with her hand against her ear.

So I saw her the next time I passed her neat cottage. She had been gathering some herbs, and now she stood listening again, with the herbs held tightly to her breast. This time I stopped to speak to her. "Lief MacKenneth," I said quietly, "are you not going to give your sister the morn's greeting?"

She gave me a quick, wild, wondering look, and her eyes filled with sudden sunshine. "God bless you for the MacKenneth," she said earnestly, "and for the sisterhood. But you must not stop with me today."

"Why?" I said. "We are not going to have a storm, Lief."

"Are we no?" she laughed. "Woman, dear, you're no Zetlander. There'll be a storm on us inside of an hour, and a black wind strong enough to blow the heart out o' your breast, or"——

"Or the dead out of their graves," I said, with meaning, and her face lighted up again.

"Maybe," she muttered, "maybe. Now go home, you wife of MacKenneth and dream o' your man and the bairns to be. Oh, aye," as I drew back, flushing hotly. "I'm not a witch for nothing, and I can see their shadows round you, Eleanor MacKenneth, two, three and four. Now"—she turned and caught my hands in hers and kissed me on lips and cheek and forehead with eager, close kisses. "There, now, go home, Eleanor woman, and shut the storm out. When do you go to your own home, soon?"

"Next week," I answered. "I told Hector to expect me on Thursday."

"Aye, and a fine, calm journey to you, dear heart. But I'll see you again. Go now, and goodby, woman dear."

I heard very little of the storm that night, for I slept as soundly as a child, and when, toward morning, I began to dream my dreams were pleasant enough, though they were all of Lief. The last dream of all was the one which made the deepest impression on me. It was of Lief again, but as I had never seen her. Young and with a wonderful shy gladness in her eyes, she stood at the door of her cottage in the driving rain, with her hand fast in the hands of a man with fair hair and bold blue eyes, a younger edition of my own husband. I saw them kiss each other, and then I woke.

"Ronald has come back to her," I said to myself as I rubbed my drowsy eyes, and somehow I was not in the least surprised or grieved when mine hostess came in later on in the morning to tell me that the storm had wrecked half a score of houses and had blown the witch's cabin out to sea. Nothing was ever heard of the witch herself, but after a little while my husband and I had a pine wood cross put up close to the stone of Odin, and on it we wrote the two names, Lief and Ronald. And in the small church of Kirk Harold, where Lief was christened, we put up a tablet to the glory of God and in loving memory of Ronald MacKenneth and Lief, his wife.—Macmillan's Magazine.

Destiny of the South.

As things are now in the southern states the man does not live that can make money in farming there. The price of cotton has dropped for a quarter of a century with a regularity that eliminates the element of chance and points to some law of markets that is out of the reach of fertilizers or any device of agriculture. It is this law that the planters are looking for.

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M. Grevy Was Tender Hearted.

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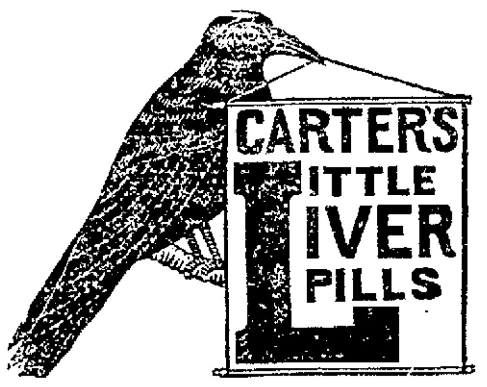

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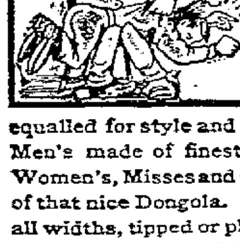

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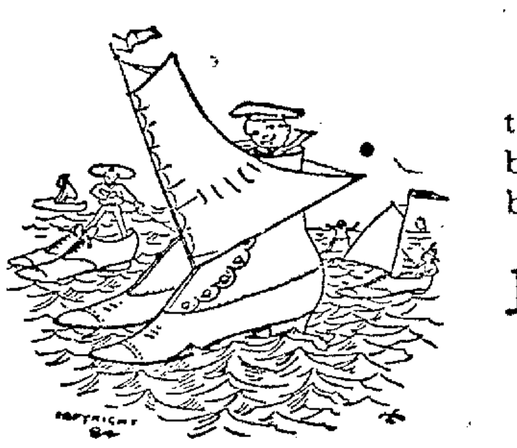

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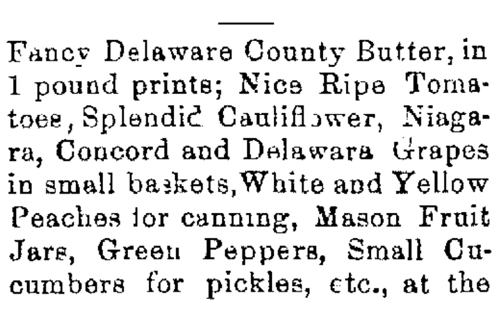

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The young Duke of Marlborough is the ninth in succession to the ducal title. He was born 23 years ago and was the son of the Marquis of Blandford (afterward Duke of Marlborough) and Lady Albertina Hamilton. His parents were divorced, and his father married Mrs. Louis Hamersley, who was formerly Miss Lily Price of Troy, N. Y. Mrs. Hamersley then claimed to be the Duchess of Marlborough, a claim that hardly seemed clear inasmuch as there was already a Duchess of Marlborough. It was lucky for the young duke, however, that his father married again, for the American heiress spent nearly $1,000,000 in repairing Blenheim palace. She has since been ousted from the palace, but the improvements made by her money still remain.

MISS CONSUELA VANDERBILT.

The young duke has always lived with his mother and has taken her side of the quarrel. He took possession of Blenheim immediately after his father's funeral in 1892, dispossessing the alleged American duchess. He was educated at Trinity college, where, it is said, he was distinguished in the classrooms and sports. If he marries Miss Vanderbilt, she will be the duchess and his mother the dowager Duchess of Marlborough.

Blenheim palace has had a most interesting history. Its construction was authorized by parliament in 1704 as a tribute to the brilliant services of the great soldier, John, duke of Marlborough. Parliament failed to supply the funds, however, and the duke's ineffectual effort to avoid paying for the nation's present to him hastened his death. The palace is today one of the most remarkable edifices in Great Britain, largely owing to the expenditure of American millions, and it seems that more American millions are needed in order that the present duke may enjoy the splendor of the palatial elephant he now finds upon his hands.

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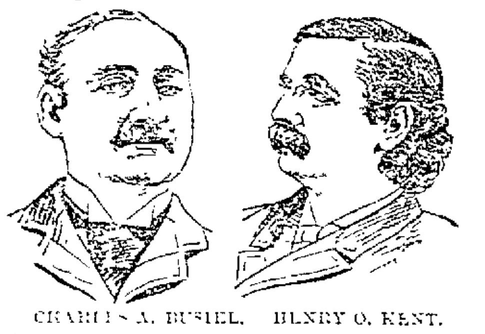
Hon. Charles A. Busiel, who has been nominated for governor of New Hampshire by the Republicans, was a Democrat prior to 1892, but the tariff plank in the Democratic platform that year caused him to join the ranks of the Republicans. He was born in Meredith village, N. H., Nov. 24, 1842, but when only 4 years of age became a resident of Laconia, where he has since resided. He learned the hosiery business in his father's mill and has built up a large trade and become wealthy. In 1878 and 1879 he was a member of the state legislature and was the first mayor of Laconia.

He is a man of large interests outside his regular business. He is a director of the Concord and Montreal railroad and a member of the executive board. He is also a director of the Boston, Concord and Montreal, Meredith and Conway, New Boston, Franklin and Tilton, the Moose Lake and Profile and Franconia Notch railroads and president of the Lake Shore railroad.



CHARLES A. BUSIEL. HENRY O. KENT.

The Democratic candidate for governor of New Hampshire is Henry O. Kent of Lancaster, who was colonel of the Seventeenth New Hampshire volunteers and who has frequently occupied high state offices. He is about 55 years of age and has been a member of the legislature on numerous occasions. During President Cleveland's first term he was naval officer in Boston. He is now a banker in Lancaster and was nominated for governor by acclamation.

Swedish Literature In America.

There is a movement on foot to interest the American public in Swedish books, and a Swede of New York city has prepared a list of about 500 Swedish books that he hopes will be found suitable to large libraries. Many of them are already found in the chief libraries of western cities, where there is a considerable Swedish population. Most of them have been published within the last quarter of a century.

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CHARLES V. PUFF, } Executors.
SAMUEL N. PUFF, }
Dated April 30th, 1894. dTu6mOc30

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Ann Conroy, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the administrator of the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at his place of residence, in the said city of Middletown, on or before the 26th day of December next.

WILLIAM BURKE, Administrator.
GEO. H. DECKER, Attorney for Administrator. dTu6mDec25

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TIME TABLE.

Adopted June 17th, 1894.

620 S.Spe	606 S.Spe	18	8	30	2	6	38	28	16	26	10	12	Eastern Time.	17	21	1	11	33	5	27	15	25	7	29	3	601 S.Spe	625 S.Spe	617 S.Spe
P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	Arrive Leave	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
‡7:52	‡11:07	*10:23	*9:07	†7:22	*4:52	*3:37	†12:37	†10:37	†9:22	†8:53	*8:07	*6:57	NEW YORK	*4:15	†7:45	*9:15	†10:30	†1:00	*3:00	†3:30	†4:30	†5:30	*6:30	†7:00	*8:45	‡7:46	‡12:30	‡6:30
7:18	10:15	9:26	......	6:42	......	2:57	11:59	9:57	8:45	8:14	......	6:15	Paterson	5:11	8:35	......	11:13	1:46	......	4:10	5:12	6:08	b7:11	7:46	9:35	8:42	1:19	7:34
6:07	9:10	9:14	......	5:29	3:30	1:46	11:12	9:05	7:58	7:18	6:38	5:16	Turners	......	9:55	10:40	12:19	2:52	......	5:00	6:02	7:19	8:04	9:01	10:32	9:58	2:33	8:54
5:57	9:03	8:55	......	5:20	......	1:38	......	8:57	7:50	7:11	......	......	Monroe	......	10:00	......	12:25	2:58	......	5:05	6:08	7:24	......	9:07	......	10:03	2:38	9:01
5:41	8:52	8:40	......	5:09	......	1:27	10:52	8:47	7:40	7:01	......	......	Greycourt	6:57	10:11	11:01	12:37	3:10	......	5:14	6:21	7:35	......	9:16	......	10:16	2:51	9:13
5:40	8:48	8:25	......	5:01	......	1:22	......	8:43	7:33	6:58	......	......	Chester	7:06	10:14	......	12:40	3:13	......	......	6:24	7:38	......	......	......	10:19	2:54	9:16
5:32	8:37	7:53	......	4:58	3:04	1:14	10:43	8:37	7:25	6:49	......	4:41	Goshen	7:19	10:22	11:12	12:48	3:22	......	5:23	6:32	7:45	b8:24	9:27	10:56	10:27	3:02	9:25
5:15	8:23	7:36	7:12	4:43	2:53	12:59	10:31	8:23	7:10	†6:34	6:01	4:30	Middletown	7:47	10:39	11:25	1:01	3:40	b5:02	5:40	6:50	†8:00	8:37	9:40	11:12	10:43	3:10	9:42
5:05	8:15	7:16	......	4:34	......	12:50	......	8:15	7:02	......	......	......	Howells	8:07	10:48	......	1:12	3:50	......	......	7:00	......	......	9:49	......	10:51	3:28	9:51
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P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	Lv. East Time. Ar.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
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			P. M.		A. M.							P. M.	Lv. Cent. Time. Ar.						P. M.				P. M.		A. M.			

*Daily. ‡Sundays only. †Except Sunday. b, Stops for passengers to Binghamton and beyond.

Middletown & Crawford Branch.—Leave Main St., Middletown, for Pine Bush at 11:40 a. m. daily, and 6:55 p. m. daily.

Montgomery Branch—Leave Goshen for Montgomery at 7:27 a. m., except Sunday, 11:20 a. m. daily, 5:25 p. m. except Sunday.

Pine Island Branch—Leave Goshen for Pine Island at 11:20 a. m. daily, 6:30 p. m. daily.

Newburgh, via Turners — Leave Turners for Newburgh at 7:35 a. m., except Sunday, 10:53 a. m. daily, and 8:20 p. m. daily; 9:30 p. m. Sundays only. Train 30 connects for Newburgh via Arden instead of Turners.

Newburgh, via Greycourt—Leave Greycourt at 7:45 a. m. except Sunday, 11:10 a. m. daily, 1:32 and 6:25 p. m. except Sunday, 5:50 p. m. Sundays only.

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Time Table Taking Effect June 24th, 1894.

NORTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	11 * Milk	1 Ont' Day Exp		17 A Sat Only	7 Sull Co Exp	5 * Pacific Exp
N. Y. Leave	A M	A M		P M	P M	P M
Franklin St	3 30	7 40		1 30	3 00	7 30
W. 42d St.	3 45	7 55		1 45	3 15	7 45
Weehawken	4 00	8 10		2 00	3 30	8 00
Cornwall	6 15	9 45		3 40	5 00	9 40
W Cornwall	6 23	9 53		.....	.....	f9 48
Orr's Mills	6 31	9 55		.....	.....	n9 59
Little Brit'n	6 51	f10 05		.....	.....	n1009
Burnside	7 10	f10 16		.....	.....	n1016
Campb'll H.	7 21	10 22		4 21	5 34	10 23
Stony Ford	7 27	f10 27		.....	n5 28	n1028
M'town } Main St. }	7 51	10 43		.....	.....	10 38
M'town ar	7 55	10 45		4 45	5 50	10 48
M'town lv	8 45	*10 55		5 00	¶6 00	¶10 58
Winterton	9 13	f11 09		.....	.....	n1107
Bloom'gb'gh	9 27	11 15		5 20	.....	n1113
Wurtsboro	9 33	11 19		n5 25	n6 21	n1117
Summitville	9 48	11 30		5 35	6 28	11 27
Ellenville ar		11 50		5 55	6 50	.....
Fallsburgh	10 45	12 05		6 14	7 02	12 03
Hurleyville	11 00	12 12		6 21	7 10	n1209
Liberty F'lls	11 15	n1222		6 30	7 20	n1219
Liberty	11 30	12 29		6 40	7 25	12 27
Parksville	11 45	12 40		6 52	7 37	n1240
L'v'gst'n M'r	12 00	12 53		7 05	7 50	12 55
Rockland	noon	1 08		7 20	P M	1 07
Hancock Jct	.....	2 00		P M	27	[illegible]
Walton	.....	2 45		.....	12 45	2 50
Dehi ar	.....	3 40	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sidney	.....	3 40	.....	.....	3 50	3 40
New Berlin	49	.....	41	.....	.....	.....
N'rwich ar	A M	4 30	A M	.....	5 50	4 33
N'rwich lv	7 00	4 35	7 30	.....	P M	4 40
Oneid' Castl'	11 15	6 10	9 10	.....	.....	6 05
Oneida ar	11 2[illegible]	6 15	9 15	.....	.....	6 05
Oneida lv	12 35	6 20	9 22	.....	.....	6 12
Fulton	5 05	8 13	11 28	.....	.....	7 51
Oswego ar	6 00	8 35	11 50	.....	.....	8 15
	P M	P M	A M			A M

SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	6 * Atl'tic Exp	42 Norwich Exp	14 Delhi Ex	50 Local	2 Day Exp	18 B Sunday Spec	28 Mixed
	P M	P M	.....	A M	A M	P M	.....
Oswego lv	9 40	2 50	.....	7 00	6 47	.....	.....
Oneida ar	11 27	5 10	.....	12 25	8 45	.....	.....
Oneida lv	11 32	5 15	.....	1 10	8 50	.....	.....
Oneid' Castl'	11 25	5 23	P M	1 15	8 53	.....	.....
Norwich ar	12 56	7 15	6 43	5 45	10 37	.....	.....
Norwich lv	1 05	P M	6 47	P M	10 42	.....	6 55
New Berlin	5 25				7 20		
Sidney	2 00	.....	7 50	.....	11 40	.....	9 45
Delhi lv	..	..	.....	.....	11 15	.....	
Walton	2 50		8 43		12 37		11 25
Hancock Jct	3 30		[illegible]		1 20		12 [illegible]
Rockland	4 17		A M		2 10	4 16	P M
L'v'gst'n M'r	4 31		6 10		2 25	4 35	3 00
Parksville			6 22		2 37	4 48	3 16
Liberty	4 52		6 35		2 51	5 05	3 25
Liberty F'lls			6 40		n2 56	5 10	3 41
Hurleyville			6 51		3 05	5 20	
Fallsburgh	5 15		6 59		3 14	5 27	4 16
Centreville			7 05		n3 20	f5 34	4 40
Mount'n D.			7 11		n3 25	f5 41	4 56
Ell'nville lv			7 00		2 55	5 35	
Summitville	5 55		7 27		3 45	6 02	5 15
Wurtsboro			n7 33		n3 51	n6 10	5 25
Bloom'g'bgh			n7 36		3 57	6 15	5 35
Winterton					n4 02	n6 19	5 45
M'town ar	6 20		7 55		4 20	6 25	6 03
M'town lv	6 30		¶8 05		¶4 30	6 30	6 33
M'town Main St.	6 3[illegible]		8 07		4 32	6 33	6 50
Stony Ford			n8 20		f4 46	n7 02	7 10
Campb'll H.			8 27		4 52	7 15	7 35
Burnside					f4 57	n7 20	7 53
Little Brit'n					f5 05	n7 31	7 58
Orr's Mills	f7 12				f5 18	f7 43	8 18
W Cornwall					f5 20	f7 45	8 23
Cornwall	7 22		8 57		5 25	7 52	8 30
Weehawken	8 55		10 20		7 0[illegible]	9 35	10 40
New York } W. 42d St. }	9 10		10 40		7 10	9 40	11 05
N. Y. Frkln St } ar	9 25		10 55	5 50	7 25	10 00	11 15
	A M		A M	P M	P M	P M	P M

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Trains leave Delhi for Walton 7 20 and 11 15 a. m., 5 15 p. m. Sunday only 10 00 a. m.

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SHOTS HERE AND THERE.

AN "ARGUS" MAN OFF DUTY AIMS AT SEVERAL SUBJECTS.

The Rights of Bicyclers as Defined by the Courts—A Would Be Suicide's Reminiscences—Very Ungallant Jurymen—The Darkest, Gloomiest Spot on Earth

Since bicycles have come into general use, a number of cases involving the rights of bicylers, drivers and pedestrains have been passed upon in the courts and what may be called bicycle law has been established. The points decided are: A man who leaves a bicycle in the road, where it is an obstruction to travel, cannot recover for any injury done it by a passing vehicle. A driver of a carriage striking at a passing 'cyclist with his whip, the lash caught around the spokes of the wheel and a wreck was caused, with injury to the 'cyclist. The driver was made to pay $150 damages. Bicyclists have brought actions against cities for the bad condition of the streets by which accidents were caused, but there has been no satisfactory adjudication on the subject. A girl who had crossed a crowded street and reached the sidewalk in safety playfully dodged back into the street again and was run down by a wheel. She failed to recover damages, as her return to a place of danger was held to be contributory negligence. The rule of the road to "turn to the right" is binding on bicycles. A 'cyclist who turned to the left and was run into failed to recover damages. A pedestrain crossing a street has an equal right on both sides, and if a 'cyclist on the wrong side runs him down the 'cyclist cannot allege contributory negligence against the footman.

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The other day when the news of the suicide of Mr. Krom was made public and it was learned that he committed the act while under the influence of liquor, a man who occasionally imbibes too freely, said to a gentleman who had imparted the news to him: "I can readily understand why he committed suicide while drunk for I came near doing the same thing myself once. A friend and I had been drinking for a day or two and became pretty thoroughly disgusted with ourselves We talked matters over and finally both came to the conclusion that life was not worth living. My friend said to me, 'you go and get a rope long enough to hang us both and we'll go to Mannerchor Park and put an end to this thing. I've got to attend to a little matter up street first and I'll meet you at the park within half an hour' I got the rope, went to the park and waited for my friend until I fell asleep. Two hours afterward I awoke and didn't feel as much like committing suicide as I did before, and as my friend had not yet arrived to carry out his part of the programme I threw the rope into the loft of one of the outbuildings and it's there yet, for I saw it only a few days ago and shuddered to think how near I came to being a subject for the coroner and to furnishing a sensational item for those newspaper fellows"

⁂

Very ungallant were the members of the Bergen county, N. J., jury which, yesterday, gave Widow Lena Lawrence, of Gloster, N J, only six cents damages in her $10,000 suit against Tavern Keeper Andrew Iserman, of that place, for breach of promise of marriage According to the widow's story Andrew's fickleness was displayed under most aggravating circumstances for not until thpy were on their way to be married did he make up his mind to throw her over. The defendant alleged that the plaintiff had been too free with other men, but the widow and her witnesses indignantly denied this allegation, and the only basis for the six cents verdict seems to have been that the widow was neither young nor fair to look upon,

⁂

The darkest and gloomiest spot on earth, on this day made dark and gloomy by lowering clouds and steady rainfall, is the officers' tent on the grounds of the Newburgh fair. As compared with the awful gloom and darkness that enshrouds that temporary habitation of President Denniston and Secretary Morrison the proverbial stack of black cats is luminous, Erebus is all aglow, the "night's Plutonian shore" is radiant, and the fabled darkness of Egypt gleams and dazzles as the noonday sun As for Secretary Morrison, if the whole world's burden of woe and anguish and suffering were placed upon him, not one more line of misery could his countenance show than it bears on this day, when the floodgates of heaven are opened and the long desired rain has come. Were every rain drop that has fallen, to-day, a tear drop from the Secretary's eyes, they would not lighten in the least the weight of woe nor lessen the [illegible] of misery that is [illegible] upon him.

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GETTING BABY TO SLEEP.

The Cradle Out of Date, but Cradle Songs Remain—Better Infant Food Brings Sounder Sleep, With Little Need of Rocking.

In the old New England Cabin at the Midway Plaisance, among the quaint bits of furniture there was an old-fashioned cradle such as busy mothers used to push with their feet while they hummed a soft lullaby.

The cradle is out of date and the tiny, lacedraped crib has taken its place. Cradle songs remain. No better ones have been writen since mothers hushed their tired ones to sleep with "Rock-a-bye, Baby" and "Bye, Baby Bunting," but the art of infant feeding has gone far ahead of the old ways.

Mothers no longer give sirups to still babies' cries; little or no medicine is now given, but better food. Lactated food is now known to every mother. In the great majority of homes in this country and in Canada this best of infant foods has found a permanent place.

Next to healthy mother's milk it is the most perfect diet for infants.

Very often it is much superior to the natural breast milk, because it never becomes deficient in nutritive qualities. It cannot contain any source of contagion. It is perfectly prepared to be pleasing to the weak infant stomach. It quickly makes solid flesh and bone, and tides sickly babies over summer days and nights when cholera infantum and diarrhea threaten the lives of every poorly nourished child.

MARY C. REYNOLDS.

The greatest reproach to practical medicine has been the fearful loss of infant lives at every return of the hot weather. The attention of the whole medical world has been directed to this great subject of proper infant feeding, especially during hot weather.

Under the advice of the professors in the medical department of the Vermont university, more especially that of Prof. A. P. Grinnell, dean of the university, and Dr S. M. Roberts professor of disease of children, and under the investigation and direct supervision of Prof. C. S Boyton, the manufacture of lactated food was begun It has saved thousands of baby lives and enabled thousands more to grow up strong and big and blessed with sturdy constitutions,

A host of mothers have to thank lactated food for the joy of seeing their drooping silent, white-faced little ones turn to bright-eyed, charming babies, that eat and sleep and grow in a way to delight any mother's heart. Great numbers of such mothers have writen that nothing else would agree with their children but lactated food.

A trial of less than two weeks will tell its own story in baby's weight, eyes, cheeks and spirits. Nursing mothers find lactated food just adapted to their peculiar needs. It nourishes both mother and child. And this is what one would expect from a knowledge of its rich, blood-making ingredients, using pure milk and sugar as a basis, because it is also the basis of mother's milk; there is added the richest gluten flour of wheat and oats. These are subjected to high steam heat under pressure, and while in constant motion and perfectly cooked, the extract of the finest malt barley is added, making thus a partially digested food that is easily assimilated by the feeblest stomach.

Invalids and aged persons find lactated food the most grateful to their weak stomachs of any nutriment they can take.

Here is the experience of the sweet baby girl whose portrait is given above. Her mother, Mrs. E. E. Reynolds, of Fair Haven, Vt., writes:

"Our little girl is a perfect picture of health, having used lactated food since she was two months old. She has always been perfectly well and we think it is largely due to the food."

Ducked by White Caps.

The Livingston Manor White Caps were out again, Thursday night. They had heard that William Baldwin, son of Landlord John Baldwin, while intoxicated, had driven a horse in a cruel manner and broken its leg, and, accordingly, took the young man to the mill race and ducked him several times.

Pimples, boils and other humors of the blood are liable to break out in the warm weather. Prevent it by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

THE NEWBURGH FAIR.

The Clerk of the Weather is "Agin" in It and that Settles It.

The equinoctial storm has knocked out the Newburgh fair most effectually and the residents of the Hillside City have our sympathies. They have spent considerable money and devoted much time and effort to get up an attractive exhibition, and according to the reports of the city papers would have made of it a grand success if the weather had been favorable. They have already lost two days and even if it should clear off to-night a large attendance could not be expected on the two following days.

We speak of this as the "Newburgh Fair," because Newburghers regard it as such and most of the exhibitors are either Newburghers or people living outside of the county, or in Canada. The *Journal* boldly proclaims it a Newburgh fair in these words: "It is emphatically first and foremost a Newburgh enterprise * * * *. This is to a certain extent as it should be."

We sympathize with our sister city, because once when the old Orange County Agricultural Society exhibited in this city to replenish its treasury, the date was fixed during the week of the autumnal equinox as the Newburgh fair was this year, and the rains descended and the floods came and spoiled the fair, and disappointed our people greatly.

From the reports published in the Newburgh papers the fair does not seem to be an agricultural exhibition, but rather a commercial one. Besides the 4,000 fowls and 200 dogs, the reports mention only the exhibits of the florists and the manfacturers and merchants of Newburgh. Nothing is said about Orange county's horses and cattle, that have given our county world-wide fame. Neither do they tell us about the big pumpkins, potatoes and other vegetables, or the fine fruits that are always to be seen at a county fair, and especially an Orange county fair.

This would indicate that, as the *Journal* says, the fair is "emphatically first and foremost a Newburgh enterprise," and is not a county fair, and therefore Newburghers and their Jersey and Canadian exhibitors are the only people that are sufferers on account of the rain. But as we said before, we sympathize with our sister city, for we've been there ourselves, and we sincerely regret that the clerk of the weather did not look with more favor upon the "Newburgh enterprise," or rather that the officers of the enterprise did not fix a date when there would be less likelihood of encountering an equinoctial storm.

There were 462 tickets sold at the gate, yesterday.

Advertised Letter List

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Middletown postoffice for the week ending Sept. 17th:

LADIES

Baker, Mrs (Mill St.)
Gordon, Mrs Chas M.
—[Package
Holbert, Miss Libbie
Herrick, Miss Mamie
Hearst Annie
Neilson Mrs. Theo.
Ogden Miss Alma
Schaefer, George

GENTLEMEN.

12 Broad street
Camrbell James
Casanova, J A
Charlesworth, A
Gubbord W. R.
Dulley, J. J.
Hulse, Wm A
Lavis, Edward A
—[Care Geo Ogden
Jung J
Lam or Late G O
Piers James
Tubbs Benj
VanNoppen, Chas L.

C. L. ELWOOD Postmaster.

A Household Treasure

D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N.Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable G.A. Dykeman Druggist, Catskill, N.Y. says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best Cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at McMonagle and Rogers' Drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1 00.

Ready mixed paint—best quality—$1.25 per gallon. McMonagle & Rogers, druggists

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1t* [illegible], 25 James street.

GIRL or Woman Wanted for general housework Reference required
1t* Call at 13 Sprague avenue,

GIRL Wanted as tailor's helper, Call top floor, Wilcox Building. 1t*

SALESMAN Can secure line of Hose Belting and General Rubber, from Manufacturing Corporation A first class line for first class man
5d2t* P. O. Box 1371, New York

FOR SALE—100 tons of the finest wine grapes in the market, at 1½ cents per pound. Apply at once to CHAS. [illegible]
32d6t 3. Broad street

BARGAIN—For sale house and lot on East avenue. Lot [illegible] For further particulars enquire at No. 57 East avenue. 38dtf

STORE for Rent, suitable for drug store, grocery or meat business Inquire at
23dtf Pindar House, Wickham avenue depot

BOOKBINDING of all descriptions at McINTYRE'S 32 North street. [illegible]

HOUSE to Let 8 rooms all modern improvements centrally located Apply
[illegible] [illegible] STRACK, No. [illegible] King street.

A FREE RIDE You can [illegible] take you to the NORTH END [illegible] central building lots [illegible] very cheap. He pays the freight.
Enquire at Central building

TO LET [illegible] Barber Shop [illegible] HOUSE [illegible]

O[illegible]
[illegible] EDWIN S. M[illegible], Agent

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FOR SALE—"George" handsome five-year-old Shetland pony, kind and gentle, good driver. Enquire at BELL HOUSE. 19dtf

NO Strike on Blue Fish—Come to HARFORD'S Market We have a fine lot of fresh fish of all kinds for Sunday dinner.

PINDAR House, corner Wickham and Low avenues Board at reasonable rates. Commercial $1 50 per day td

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ALL Kinds of shoe dressing, shoe laces. Tan shoes cleaned recolored and repaired while you wait No charges for sewing rips or putting on buttons at CRAIG'S 22 West Main street.

ORANGE COUNTY ROOFING CO.—Exclusive dealers in a complete Wool Asphalt, Felt Roofing and superior Asphalt Roof Paints Also agents for Sacketts' Wall Board and The Banning Fire Extinguisher No 6 East Main street Middletown N Y 9?d&wNov5

HELP WANTED

SALESMEN—Every county Salary or commission No experience. New Tariff Bill gives unlimited profits Active men apply quickly stating salary and territory wanted
21eod3w MANUFACTURERS Box [illegible] Boston

MANAGER WANTED to appoint salesmen to sell the Rapid Dish Washer. Washes and dries the dishes in two minutes without wetting the fingers $75 a week and all expenses Easy position, no capital, no hard work; can make $100 a week Address
W. P. HARRISON & CO.,
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Associate of the American College of Musicians, Local Representative of the London, England College of Music

Piano, Organ, Vocal and Theoretical Instruction.

Diplomas and degrees Conferred Address GRACE CHURCH, Middletown, N Y d13 21 24

RAIN, RAIN, RAIN.

Picnic Picnic, Picnic

Owing to the rain, which we all needed, the fourth annual picnic of

The L. D. ASSOCIATION

has been postponed to

Friday Afternoon and Evening, Sept 21

If stormy on this date, a festival will be held in the Assembly Rooms and all picnic tickets will be good for same.
35d3t By order Committee.

FOR SALE

A desirable business, including stock and fixtures, located on North Street, for sale very cheap.
Best of reasons for selling.

Gardner & McWillams,

25 NORTH ST., LIPFELD BUILDING.

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City Market, Corner North and Orchard Streets.

All kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats, Fresh, Salt and Smoked Fish, Vegetables, Canned Goods, Oysters, Clams, etc. A full supply of Lyon Brook Cheese on hand.
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WE PLACE ON SALE TO-DAY, TWO CASES OF

The Celebrated Jamestown Dress Goods

the very best values on the market; all the newest styles and colorings at the lowest prices

CORSETS, KID GLOVES, HOSIERY, LADIES', MEN'S AND CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR—SPECIAL LOW PRICES.

HORTON & McBURNEY,

No. 27 West Main street. — — Middletown.

Buy of the Manufacturer!

When we ask you to do so, it is with a full knowledge of what we are saying and there can be no mistake about it, as

WE ALWAYS WRITE OUR OWN ADVERTISEMENTS,

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Ladies' $1 Wrapper for 95c.
Ladies' $1 25 Wrapper for $1.
Buttermilk Soap 7c. cake; 18c. box.
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